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The Two Candidates for the American Presidency Will Amicably Meet in Public.

Great Democratic Demonstration in New York—Patrick Egan Home From Chile.

Dr. Scott, of Ohio, Wants More Freedom in Religion—World's Fair Sunday Closing.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—President Harrison and Mr. Cleveland may be brought together next week in this city during the Columbus celebration ceremonies and in Chicago the week following, when the World's Fair buildings will be dedicated. The President has promised to review the great parades in both cities. Mr. Cleveland, to-day, made up his mind to accept the invitation from both committees. He will be in the reviewing stand with Harrison, and perhaps will dine with him at the same table at the Lennox Lyceum banquet, on the evening of October 13th, and then they will both go to Chicago on October 21st.

Tramping for a Wager.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 4.—Octavius Marius, better known as the "Cyclone tramp" reached St. Paul to-day on his way from Tacoma to New York and back. He has a wager of $500 on condition that he is not to spend a cent on the way. He must steal his rides, not accept money from anyone and must be back in Tacoma in 24 days. He left Tacoma September 25th, and reached Minneapolis yesterday and St. Paul to-day. He carries with him a board about two feet long with ingenious attachments which enabled him to fasten the article to the trucks of a Pullman car on his journey from Tacoma. On this board he rides; he has only had trouble twice. The first time was near Spokane Falls where he was discovered and put off, but he soon eluded observation and continued his journey. At Fargo his trip got wind before the train left and a big crowd assembled to see him off. The "Cyclone" does not like crowds at the depot and he had to exercise much ingenuity to get off without observation. The longest ride he has had since he started was one of 29 hours without rest or food. He left this evening for Chicago, and expects to be in New York by the end of this week.

What Gasoline Can do.

YANKTON, S. D. Oct. 4. — Charles Winchester, proprietor of a small hotel in this city, was burned to death by an explosion of gasoline this afternoon. He was sprinkling gasoline on the floor of a small bedroom to exterminate bedbugs. The bedroom is just off the kitchen and the explosive vapor generated in the bedroom, reached the kitchen where a gasoline stove was burning. The atmosphere in the kitchen took fire, the flames reached to the bedroom, an explosion followed, and a few seconds afterwards Winchester ran from the room into the open air with his clothes burned away, his hair gone and his body burned to a blister. He endeavored to find relief by jumping into a tub of swill and then rolling in the dust. He had inhaled the burning gasoline and early in the evening he died.

The Barnaby Will Case.

PROVIDENCE, R.I., Oct. 4.—It was reported to-night that there was a possibility of a compromise in the Barnaby will case. The attorneys for the Conrods and Miss Maude Barnaby, it was said, had made a proposition whereby all opposition to the probating of the will of the late Mrs. J. A. Barnaby would be withdrawn except to the legacy to Dr. T. Thatcher Graves. It was declared that the heirs and the other legatees had agreed to allow the will to stand and that they would unite in an effort to throw out the $25,000 bequest to the doctor. Counsel refused to confirm or deny the truth of the alleged compromise.

Neither Free Nor Large Enough.

COLUMBUS, Oct. 4.—Dr. W. H. Scott, president of the Ohio State University, to-day sent a letter to the Methodist conference at Portsmouth, withdrawing from the conference and returning his letter of ordination. He does so, he says, because of his consciousness that he ought to enter upon a freer and a larger religious life. He had not been suspected of departing from the orthodoxy of his church. Dr. Scott addressed the students in chapel at length today upon his action. He explained that he had left the church because he did not believe in some of its doctrines.

The Itata Case.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 4.—The case of the United States against the steamship Itata to condemn 200,000 cases of rifle ammunition, has been set over for the January meeting of the circuit court of appeals. It is reported that the attorney-general deeming this case of peculiar national importance, will request that it be transferred to the Supreme Court of the United States. A decision was rendered against the Government in the circuit court of the lower district of California.

Democratic Demonstration.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—The Democratic league convention quadrennial convention of the Democratic club met in the Academy of Music this morning. Though short of some of contemplated features, including a monster street parade, it was an enthusiastic and a successful gathering. Four thousand badges were issued to delegates representing every state in the Union. This was the capacity of the theatre, but arrangements were made to throw open Tammany hall, adjoining the academy, for the overflow meeting. The galleries and stage were gaily festooned with national flags, life-sized portraits of Democratic national candidates appeared in each section of the main stage entrance. The band of the Ninth New York National Guards regiment was stationed in the gallery. The proscenium boxes were set apart for distinguished visitors. Box A was assigned to the guest of the day, ex-President Grover Cleveland, and to vice-Presidential candidate, Adlai K. Stevens, who, however, was not present. Another distinguished absentee was Gov. Flower, to whom box G allotted. The National committee was represented by Chairman Harritty, Dickerson and Wm. C. Whitney in box "C." Other boxes were set apart for Lieut.-Governor Sheehan, Mayor Grant, Richard Croker, Chairman Murphy, of the State committee, H. McLaughlin and other notables.

NANAIMO NOTES.

Imports and Exports—Two Distinguished Suspects in Custody.

NANAIMO, Oct. 4.—The customs returns for Septembe are as follows:

Import Duty	$ 3340 71
Sick Mariners Dues	500 56
Miscellaneous	51 00
Total	$ 3892 77

The imports were:

Value of Goods Imported free	$ 717 00
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Direct Imports	2,408 00
Value of Goods ex-warehouse (free)	161 00
For exportation	209 00

Among those quarantined at Wellington are two members of the local board of health, viz.: Messrs. J. B. Hugo and Joseph Lewis.

Beatrice, daughter of John Pargeter, Wallace street, died Sunday morning, of congestion of the lungs, aged nine years.

During the past month 68 cases were dealt with in the police court. The offence were divided as follows:—Drunk and disorderly, or incapable, 37; supplying intoxicants to Indians, 7; felonious assault, 6; vagrancy, 4; lareeny, 2; breach of the peace, 2; in possession of intoxicants on the Indian reserve, 1; carrying firearms, 1; deserter. 1; destitute, 1; murder, 1; illegal fishing, 1; stowaway, 1.

WESTMINSTER WIRINGS.

Deferred Sentence on a Stabber—That Stolen Bottle of Whisky.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 4.—T. S. Smith, tried before Judge Bole on Monday for stabbing F. Owens of Chilliwack, and was remanded for sentence, this morning appeared and was allowed to depart to come up for sentence when called upon, and on paying $100 costs.

Police officer McNeill arrived this morning from Victoria, having in custody a man named Kerer who will be tried to-morrow in the district court for assaulting a Vancouver Chinese missionary in a tram car during the exhibition.

A farmer's wife at South Westminster has been arrested for stealing a large quantity of house furnishings from a man named Green of that place.

The police commissioners will investigate a report about a bottle of whiskey being stolen from the lockup. It is well known that the temperance people are making a fuss, as the bottle would have convicted a temperance hotel man.

Run Down and Captured.

ERIE, Pa., Oct. 4.—A bold and unsuccessfull attempt at bank robbery was made this noon at the Keystone National bank. While the treasurer, Frank Kepler, was fixing up the cash four men entered the bank, and before he was aware of their presence he and bookkeeper Chas. Lelisbel were covered by revolvers which peared in upon them at every window. The robbers cried "hands up," but Kepler dropped behind the counter and one of the robbers fired and hit him in the face, inflicting a very dangerous wound. The robbers beat a hasty retreat, but were run down and are now in custody.

Sunday Closing of the Fair.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 4.—The action of the Minnesota women's world's fair auxiliary, in voting that the World's Fair be kept open on Sundays, has caused the matter to assume unexpected prominence. Yesterday the churches and pastors were employed in securing signers to a petition that the fair be closed. A good deal of animosity has been caused and the churches are being split into factions.

Did not Believe in Banks.

RALEIGH, N.C., Oct. 4.—The dwelling of William Mitchell, near this city, was set on fire at 4 this morning and burned to the ground. Mitchell, who is eighty years old, and his neice, who lived with him, barely escaped with their lives. There was $15,000 in the house, Mitchell's savings of a lifetime. Not a cent was saved.

Fell from the Train.

PERTH, Oct. 3.—The coroner's jury, in the case of Geo. B. Mitchell, of St. Louis, Mo., whose body was found alongside the railway track near here, a week ago, returned a verdict of accidental death, the evidenc showing that the deceased must have fallen from the train.

The Crow's Nest Road.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 3.—Supt. Whyte says work on the Crow's Nest Pass railway will be completed this fall as far as the contracts have been let, but as to future action, nothing yet has been decided upon.

Trade Still Dull.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—Trade at Islington to-day showed little change. The best Canadian animals were 6d. at Glasgow last week. A thousand Canadians met with good sale for feeding purposes.

Recovering the Bodies.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 4.—Only four bodies have been removed from the Norrie mine at Ironwood. Three more bodies are now in sight.

TENNYSON CRITICALLY ILL.

The Aged Poet Suffers an Alarming Relapse and the End is Not Very Far Away.

An Austrian Officer Wins the Horse Riding Competition From Berlin to Vienna.

Pugilist Charles Mitchell Gets Himself Into a Very Serious Predicament.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—Lord Tennyson was worse this morning. His condition is marked by an alarming degree of debility, which seems increasing. His fine physique and noted stamina have helped him wonderfully in his struggle with the present complications of disease, but even his closest friends admit that the end cannot be far off.

May be Murder.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—Charley Mitchell, the pugilist, was in Bow street police court this morning to answer a charge of assault. At midnight Mitchell had a row with an old man named Savage. Both men had been drinking. How the trouble started was not ascertained, but after a few words Mitchell suddenly struck the old man a blow on the ear which laid open his scalp. He fell, stunned, to the ground and a crowd gathered shouting "shame, shame," etc. Policemen arrested Mitchell. Savage's wound bled profusely, and it is feared his skull is fractured. Mitchell was remanded to await the result of closer enquiries as to the old man's condition.

An Austrian Wins.

BERLIN, Oct. 4.—Lieutenant Miklos, of the Austrian military officers taking part in the long distance ride from Vienna to Berlin, arrived in this city at twenty minutes after nine this morning. He was the first to complete the journey, having made the distance in seventy-four hours and twenty minutes.

Is at Back From Chili.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Patrick Egan, American minister to Chili, arrived today from Colon on the steamer Newport.

STAND BY THEIR RECTOR.

A Remnant of Christ Church Congregation, Vancouver, Believe in Him.

VANCOUVER, Oct. 4.—The C.P.R. land commissioner has given notice to Christ Church congregation that unless they proceed forthwith to erect a building on the plans already agreed upon the site granted on building conditions will be taken back by the railway company. The congregation had agreed to erect a $30,000 building three years ago, but there were dissensions and they were unable to do so. A small building will be secured and the congregation continued of those who have remained with Rector Hobson throughout the recent trouble.

J. J. Bell was to-day committed for trial for burglary of Godfrey's, and Clubb & Stewart's clothing store.

The North Vancouver council have sold the remaining debentures at 95, and work on the road across the municipality will be resumed.

CHAT OF THE CAPITAL.

A Grave Omission—Election Squabbles—The Northwest Crofters.

OTTAWA, Oct. 4.—The Supreme Court met to-day, Justice Strong presiding. No reference was made to the death of Chief Justice Ritchie, and there is considerable comment here about it.

The election appeal against Choquette, Liberal, for Montmagnie, was put off till next court. In the meantime it will be withdrawn.

Argument in the Richelieu election case, Morgan against Bruneau, Liberal, was concluded. Judgment was reserved.

John Dyke, immigration agent for Canada in England, returned to-day, after being all through the Northwest. He says that stories about discontent among the crofters in the Northwest are wholly untrue, they are all doing well. He sails for England on Saturday by the Parisian.

Archer Baker, European agent of the Canadian Pacific, Mrs. Baker, Thomas Moore, proprietor of Land and Water, John Innes, manager of the Allan line at Liverpool, and a few friends of Baker's leave to-night by the private car "Champlain" for the Pacific coast. Baker was formerly general superintendent of the eastern division of the C.P.R.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

CRICKET.

ALBIONS' OFFICERS.

The Albion Cricket Club have elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, F. H. Worlock; vice-president, Ven. Archdeacon Scriven; secretary-treasurer, John Earsman; assistant secretary-treasurer, L. H. Hardie; committee, Dr. Wade, Messrs. P. Schwengers, H. J. Martin, J. L. Medway and W. H. Danby.

CANOEING.

WATSON VS. McLEAN.

A canoe race is on for Saturday between Watson and McLean. The former is to have 125 yards start, and the race is to take place over the harbor course.

Matters in Toronto.

TORONTO, Oct. 3.—Ralph M. Blackley, a young law student who came here from Hamilton recently, was run over by a street car and fatally injured.

The two cases of suspected smallpox at the general hospital proved to be genuine smallpox, and precautions are being taken to isolate them in separate temporary buildings.

Since the urgent plea of Hon. Edward Blake, at the Pavilion, for funds for the Irish cause, the project of the committee has assumed definite shape. It is expected Mr. Blake will be able to take a substantial sum with him when he returns to the Old Country in November.

ALL OVER A CHINAMAN.

A Gallant Knight Gets Into Trouble For Teaching a Celestial Good Manners.

The Chinaman Keeps His Seat in a Car When Ladies are Standing and Fares Ill.

E. B. Kerer, employed at Ames Holden & Co., was arrested late yesterday afternoon. The charge against Kerer was assault, and the alleged injured person is a Chinese doctor.

Kerer did an act of gallantry in offering his seat to a lady in a Westminster-Vancouver interurban car. The lady, who was a member of the W.C.T.U., and who had a celestial in her company, offered his pigtailship the seat. The Chinaman sat down. Kerer gently lifted him up, and again took the seat. Upon this he is charged with assault. A stranger, who had entered the car previously, rose and gave his seat to a lady who also was standing and asked the Chinaman to also give his seat to another lady. The Chinaman refused and the stranger pulled him out of his seat. The lady also rose. And it was then that Kerer offered her his seat.

Kerer was placed in the law courts cells and taken to Westminster for trial this morning. A man named Smith was also arrested. He was supposed to be the stranger. But it turned out to be a case of mistaken identity. Smith was released.

The fellow-members of the Knights of Pythias think Kerer has been treated in a shameful manner. They maintain that at the most Kerer only committed a simple assault. And the general practise is to issue a summons. But Kerer was arrested under a warrant.

Kerer had written a letter of apology to the lady, but refused to apologize to the Celestial and so he was prosecuted.

SHORT LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

Young Ladies Institute No. 38 meets this evening at half past seven.

Emile Chicket, the new French cook at the Hotel Victoria, arrived to-day.

The provincial land surveyors examinations will continue till Thursday.

Choice vocal and musical selections were given at the St. Luke's schoolroom entertainment last night.

Fernwood Lodge, C. O. O. F., M U., meets Friday, 7th, for installation of offices. All brethren are invited.

The number of books loaned from the public library during September was 1734. Average 69. Highest day 116.

A man named Geo. White claims to have been robbed of $9 at the Occidental hotel while under the influence of liquor to-day.

Charles Cullin is ill, the result of cuts received while on the cinder path at Vancouver playing lacrosse. Blood poisoning is feared.

Ed. Thain has been appointed to the position in the Attorney-General's office made vacant by the death of William McDowell.

Property owners are to have a sewer on the Cadboro bay road, or at least Ald. Lovell wants to get it. He has "placarded" to that effect.

During the present month the rosary will be recited daily at mass in the Roman Catholic churches. October is rosary month in the Roman Catholic cathedral.

A notice posted on the door of the Dairy Kitchen in the Five Sisters block, states that the place is closed, but will be opened in a few days under new management.

Application will be made in Chambers on Wednesday in the case of McLennan et al vs. the trustees of the Pandora Avenue Methodist Church to sign the final judgment.

An Epworth League of Christian Endeavor was successfully organized last evening in connection with the James Bay Methodist Church. Mr. Geo. D. Roper is president, and Mr. B. Smith, secretary. Week night meetings will be held on the first and third Monday evenings of each month, and a short meeting every Sunday evening before the preaching service.

PERSONAL.

Visitors and Passengers to and from the City and Province.

E. M. Johnson leaves this evening for Spokane Falls.

E. H. Merril, of the Standard Oil Co., is at the Victoria.

Mrs. E. Hutcherson, of Ladner's Landing, is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. Kirkland, of James Bay.

Thomas Jones, the well known printer, has gone to Nanaimo to accept a position in the water office there.

E. H Merrill, Seattle; L. C. Dibant, A. G. Glodd, San Francisco; Geo. M. Palmer, A. H. Memnster, Chicago; are registered at the Victoria.

J. E. Calhoun, Ladners, Robt. Hamilton, Vancouver; Jas. McIntyre, Port Townsend; Miss S. Hall, San Francisco are staying at the Oriental.

Collector John S. Clute of New Westminster, whose return from the Kootenay country and the story of his mission there were given in the TIMES last evening, is still in the city. He will probably leave for home in the morning.

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ABANDONMENT OF UGANDA.

The British Government Withdraws From the Central African Dependency.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—It was known on Saturday afternoon in political circles that the Cabinet had decided to abandon Uganda. This is bad for the East African Company. To Conservatives the opportunity seemed favorable for attacking the Liberal Government with the old cry of "policy scuttle." Had the ordinary course observed in these matters by British ministers been followed there would have been current all kinds of inuendoes and misrepresentations, the ministerial mouth being closed till February, when Parliament meets. In the meantime all the mischief would have been done and the position of the Government undermined. Lord Rosebery's action in promptly communicating to the press his letter addressed to the East Africa Company prevented that. The facts were plainly laid before the public, at home and abroad. The Conservatives claim that Mr. Gladstone and Lord Rosebery are actuated by a desire to injure the East Africa Company, because that company is largely composed of adherents to Lord Salisbury, and they predict the abandonment of Uganda will be the first step toward a general withdrawal of government protection from the colonies in that vicinity. Both the French Government and the Congo Free State are anxious to seize Uganda as soon as the British withdraw from it, and the French missionaries are expected to raise a cry for French interference in their behalf whenever Captain Lugard and his force depart from the country. As Uganda is considered the most desirable region in Central Africa, the loss of that kingdom will be a serious blow to the interests of the East Africa Company, which is not in a flourishing condition under present circumstances.

Capt. Lugard, commander of the occupying force in Uganda, arrived in London to-day. The object of his return is, it is said, to enlighten the British East Africa Company, in whose service he is, as to the resources and political importance of the territory in which he has operated, and to answer in detail the charges against him and Capt. Williams by Manager Hirth. The Tories have been prophesying that he would represent Uganda to be a land of the milk and honey sort, with the possibilities of trade, so situated as to be the keystone of Great Britain's possessions in Africa. In a prolonged conference with the directors of the East Africa Company, immediately after his arrival, however, Capt Lugard declared Uganda was a poor country, and would prove an unprofitable investment for the company. Upon his representations, the company probably will accede to the Earl of Rosebery's proposals for withdrawal. The Tory press is quite beside itself over the prospect of the withdrawal, which it says would mean both national dishonor and national disaster. The Protestants could not withstand the attacks of the more numerous and better armed Catholics, who are represented as eager to avenge the wrongs they received at the hands of the British. Should the Government get out, bag and baggage, it is said that Manager Hirth in the interests of the Roman Catholic Church and France would at once hoist the French flag and declare a French protectorate.

The Jennens Estate Swindle.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—The attempt to raise subscriptions among supposed heirs in America, to prosecute claims to what is know as the Jennens estate, is a bare-faced swindle. The American Legation of London, some years ago, wrote the State Department at Washington in regard to the scheme, declaring that any money contributed would be thrown away. Jennens never signed a will, and his property passed into the hands of his lawful heirs. Yet from time to time, ever since, efforts have been made by real or imaginary descendants to dispossess the actual owners of the estate. The case has been repeatedly before the courts, but the decisions have invariably been against the claimants. Vice-Chancellor Malins has rendered a decision against the latest claimant Wills, in which he says: "If such an act could be allowed after these years, nobody would be safe in the possession of the property." Wm. Lord Moore, who has swindled so many American claimants to English estates by holding out false representations, is still in London, defying the police. He changes his name and address whenever he learns that the American legation are making inquiries in regard to any new swindling scheme of his. His latest alias was Felix Howard, of University street. Fhe last few mails have brought to the Scotland Yard authorities and the American legation lots of letters of complaints from his victims.

Death of M. Renan.

PARIS, Oct. 3.—Joseph Ernest Renan, the distinguished philologist and author, died yesterday. On Tuesday he went driving and caught a severe cold, which speedily developed into congestion of the lungs. Four hours before his death he turned to his wife and said: "Whey are you sad?" "Because I see you suffer," she replied. "Be calm and resigned," he responded. "We have to obey the laws of that nature of which we are the manifestations. We perish; we disappear; but heaven and earth remain and so the march goes on forever." Being conscious that he would soon die, he had made arrangements for the publication of a final volume of his "History of Israel," and five years hence some volumes of reminiscences. It is said Renan was rational to the last moment, and when he found death was drawing nigh expressed a wish that he might have a national funeral, and that his body be interred in the Pantheon. No priest attended the dying man. The remains will be buried from the College de France. The funeral will be strictly non-religious. The latter arrangements have been made with the approval of the family at Renan's request.

To the young face *Pozzoni's Complexion Powder* gives fresher charms, to the old renewed youth. Try it.

Davitt at Glasgow.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—Michael Davitt, in speaking before a Glasgow audience last evening, said: "If the Irish landlords resort to evictions the counter plan of giving English, Welsh and Scotch farmers judicial leases and land courts will be operated. This would seriously embarrass the Duke of Argyle, the Duke of Devonshire and others." The recently started movement to raise funds in America and Australia for the benefit of the evicted tenants in Ireland pending the release of the Paris fund, is meeting with opposition from the evicted tenants' society, an organization mainly composed of anti-McCarthyites. The society has formally resolved to protest by every means in its power against the appeal by the Irish parliamentary party and signed by McCarthy, unless that gentleman and his associates shall guarantee that any money contributed in response to the appeals shall not be devoted to a political object. Just what sort of guarantee would be sufficient to satisfy the objecters is not stated, and there are some expressions of doubt as to whether it would be possible to meet their views, those opposed being regarded generally as a mere political dodge. It is probable, however, that the promoters of the appeal will make some reply to the society's insinuations and give at least a formal assurance that the proposed fund will be administered wholly for the benefit of evictees.

The Americans in Hawaii.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Oct. 4.—According to late advices received at the state department from Minister Stevens, affairs in the Hawaiian Islands are growing worse. Serious political troubles which may develop into a revolution are feared. That the state department views the situation with some concern is shown by a request from Secretary John W. Foster that the orders for the cruiser Boston to leave Honolulu for Acapulco, where she was to join Rear-Admiral Gherardi's special fleet, be countermanded, and that the U.S.S. Alliance be kept at Honolulu until affairs become more tranquil. The navy department promptly acquiesced. Telegraphic instructions to this effect were sent to San Francisco on Saturday last, and are in the mail which left there by steamer for Honolulu the same day. The chief concern felt by the state and navy officials at the situation in Honolulu grows out of the possibility of something happening to destroy American chances of securing the control of Pearl harbor as a coaling station. An appropriation of $250,000 is available for dredging an entrance to the harbor, and negotiations are satisfactorily progressing through Minister Stevens which will soon place the United States in control of Pearl harbor if nothing untoward occurs.

Hereditary Insanity.

VIENNA, Oct. 3.—Prince Pedro of Cobourg, grandson of Dom Pedro, late Emperor of Brazil, suddenly went crazy to-day. His room was in the fourth story of the Imperial hotel. He struck down an attendant and threw him through the window preparatory to jumping out. His shouts attracted a large crowd below. He called out to them that he was Emperor of Brazil and had been wrongfully deprived of his empire. A policeman summoned a brigade of firemen, who spread nets under the window, while three officers went to the Prince's room. They entered unobserved while he was shouting to the people below, and caught him by the arm before he perceived their presence. He has been placed under restraint, and will probably be taken to a prison to-night.

Subsidence of Cholera.

BERLIN, Oct. 3. — The excitement caused by the cholera has begun to subside, and political matters are forcing their way to the front again. Ere long the German rulers may have to choose between a restriction of the people's rights in Prussia by readjustment by a local mode of voting and the adoption of a more liberal scheme of suffrage; between the abolition and the retention of the present universal secret ballot for the Reichstag elections; between the two and three years' military service; between vast and clashing clericalism and liberalism; between Count Caprivi and his foes, and between a return to the dead feudal past and the recognition of the living, struggling present.

An Insane Freak.

BERLIN, Oct. 3.—Prince Carl Radziwill, who became insane suddenly in the Grand hotel in Lodz a few days ago, and shot right and left, running among the guests and servants, has been taken to an asylum in Bonn. Prince Ferdinand, his brother, has paid 1300 roubles to the two waiters who were wounded, and 350 roubles to the owner of the German Grand hotel to compensate him for the damage done to his establishment by the brigade, which was called out to subdue Prince Carl.

Noble Brutes.

VIENNA, Oct. 3.—Prince Frederick Leopold of Russia, who started from Berlin at 8:30 o'clock on Saturday morning, arrived at Deutschbrod, in Bohemia, at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. His horse, Taurus, refused to eat. A veterinary surgeon advised a rest of six hours, but the Prince proceeded to Iglau, 150 kilometers from Vienna, where he arrived at midnight.

Tennyson Getting Better.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—Lord Tennyson, who is ill of influenza and gout at his home near Haslemere, in Surrey, rallied somewhat towards evening and ate with some appetite. This evening his physicians found his temperature lower and his breathing easier.

The Ameer Victorious.

SIMLA, Oct. 3.—It is reported here that the forces of the Ameer of Afghanistan have had another engagement with the rebellious Hazara tribesmen, and that the latter were defeated with heavy loss. The Ameer's troops occupied Urzagan.

Fine fishing tackle at Fox's, 73 Government street.

Phœnix Lager Beer.

UNION HAPPENINGS.

How the Government Appropriations are Spent in Comox District.

UNION, Oct. 4.—The farmers of Comox should congratulate themselves on having in their midst the best Clydesdale stallion in the country. R. Grant's stalion, Norman McLeod, succeeded in taking first prize at the Westminster show.

Your correspondent's account of the handling of the public money in Comox has been commented upon by several of the prominent men here, and the feeling is that it does not do justice to the partiality shown in using the public funds. The electors were greatly pleased that the member should secure an appropriation of $15,000 for a district like Comox, but when the greater part goes to make or improve roads on or near the property of a near relative of the Government agent, and a good part of the balance in making a road to a farm of the agent's, they would have been better satisfied if a smaller sum had been appropriated and spent judiciously throughout the district. The majority of the electors are asking for a reform in the matter.

Mr. Worlock, of Green, Worlock & Co., Victoria, was up on a pleasure trip last week. He was the guest of R. Grant.

Mr. Burns, inspector of schools, is spending the week in Comox and Union. He examines Union school today. This is the first visit from the education department for nearly four years.

Mr. Frank Little, manager of the Union Coal Company, goes to Victoria to-day. It is to be hoped some arrangement can be made to reopen the mines.

Mr. and Mrs. Captain Freeman, of the ship Glory of the Seas, are guests of Mr. George Clinton. The Glory of the Seas is now loading at Wellington.

K. Grant, foreman of the Union Sawmill Company, has returned from Nanaimo. He was accompanied by Mrs. Grant.

A number from here and Comox went down to the Victoria show.

Getting Decidedly Warmer.

ST. JOHN, N.B., Oct. 3.—Local politics are becoming warmer. Premier Blair has issued a manifesto appealing to the country for support on the ground that the present dissolution of the Assembly finally abolishes the Legislative Council. He refers to his opponents in the Assembly as calumnists and cowards, and claims that his government has administered the finances with practical economy. Solicitor-General Pugsley has placed his resignation with the Solicitor-General, and the member for New Brunswick will retire altogether from provincial politics.

Instantaneous Death.

FORT WILLIAM, Oct. 3.—Editor Cumming, of the Journal, dropped dead yesterday.

A Handsome Premium.

The Toronto Weekly Empire has produced a premium for its new subscribers this autumn which really calls for special compliment. The proprietors of that paper have prepared a handsome picture of the Conservative members of Parliament, well arranged, executed in the finest type of photogravure, and printed on excellent paper for framing. No premium given away with newspapers this year equals it. The whole picture is large, and when set off by the tasteful oak frame, which is so fashionable nowadays, will make a very handsome adornment to the home. In the centre are the members of the Cabinet, while grouped around them are their supporters in the House. The pictures of Cabinet Ministers are large in size, and every one is an excellent likeness. In the centre the photo of the Premier is by far the best Sir John Abbott has ever had, while that of Sir John Thompson, the famous leader of the House of Commons, who is represented standing with his hand resting upon the table, an attitude he often assumes while addressing the House, is literally a speaking likeness. The photos of the individual members are capital; they are not small and unrecognizable, requiring a microscope for identification, but the Conservatives of every county returning a Conservative will, in this group, possess an excellent likeness of their member. As a work of art this group picture takes high rank; as an acceptable addition to the Conservative houses of the land it will be pretty sure to circulate from Victoria to Halifax. The picture, to give an exact idea of its importance, measures 3 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 4 inches. On the margin is a convenient key, giving the names of every member with numbers corresponding to the numbers on the photograph.

Mr. Joseph Hemmerich

An old soldier, came out of the War greatly enfeebled by **Typhoid Fever**, and after being in various hospitals the doctors discharged him as incurable with **Consumption**. He has been in poor health since, until he began to take

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NOTICE.

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Victoria, B.C., 1st Sept., 1892.

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NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

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ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE NO. 17.

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Friday, September 30th, 1892.

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

BOUND SOUTH. READ UP.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.	Miles from Wellington.	STATIONS	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.	Miles from Victoria.	NORTH BOUND. READ DOWN.
	Ar. 12.45 P M	Ar. 5.58 P M		VICTORIA	Dp. 8.00 A M	Dp. 2.30 P M		
	12.56	6.04	3	RUSSELL'S	8.14	2.41	3	
	1.19	6.44	13	COLWOOD	8.39	3.09	13	
	1.30	6.59	16	SUMMIT SIDING	8.54	3.28	16	
	1.40	7.10	19	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	9.04	3.40	19	
	1.50	7.20	22	COBBLE HILL	9.14	3.54	22	
	2.07	7.37	27	McPHERSON'S	9.31	4.14	27	
	2.15	7.45	30	KOKSILAH	9.39	4.24	30	
	2.27	7.57	34	DUNCAN'S	9.51	4.39	34	
	2.45	8.15	41	SOMENOS	10.09	5.03	41	
	2.55	8.25	45	CHEMAINUS	10.19	5.15	45	
	Dp. 3.15 P M	Dp. 8.45 P M	52	OYSTER BAY SIDING	Ar. 10.39 A M	Ar. 5.33 P M	52	
	Ar. 3.25 P M	Ar. 8.55 P M	55	NANAIMO	Dp. 10.45 A M	Dp. 5.23 P M	55	
	Dp. 3.30 P M	Dp. 9.00 P M	55	NANAIMO	Ar. 10.40 A M	Ar. 5.18 P M	55	
	Ar. 4.10 P M	Ar. 9.40 P M	73	WELLINGTON	Dp. 9.55 A M	Dp. 4.33 P M	73	

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Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a fare and a quarter, good for return not later than Sunday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for seven days, including day of issue.

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S. S. LOO SOK, October 13th.
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And thereafter the permanent service of the Company's regular steamers.

THE S.S. "LOO SOK,"

Captain Anderson, will leave Victoria, on the 13th of October, and will carry passengers and freight at current rates.

For freight or passage apply to
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" Returning same day.
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For freight or staterooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria station, Store street.

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S.S. AUSTRALIA (3,000 tons) Wednesday, Oct. 26, 1892, 2 p.m.

For Honolulu, Auckland and Sydney, Without Change.
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10 15 am	Lv	28	"Seattle"	82	Lv 3 00 am
1 30 pm	Lv	72	Pt. Townsend	38	Lv 11 45 pm
4 30 pm	Ar	110	"Victoria"	M1	Lv 8 30 pm

Port Townsend Mail Route.

	Lv	M1		Ar	
11 00 pm	Lv	28	"Seattle"	58	Ar 3 00 pm
12 30 am	Lv	30	Port Madison	47	Lv 2 10 pm
	Lv	45	Kingston	41	Lv
3 00 am	Lv	49	Port Gamble	21	Lv 11 00 am
4 00 am	Lv	73	Port Ludlow	13	Lv 10 00 am
6 00 am	Ar	88	Pt. Townsend	M1	Lv 8 00 am

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TIME TABLE No. 17,
Taking effect April 1, 1892.

Vancouver Route.

Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock, a.m.
Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday, at 12 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

LEAVE Victoria for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 12 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)
For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 10 o'clock
For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE New Westminster for Victoria, Monday at 12 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route.

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Ft. Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports on the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notice.
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FORMOSAN TROUBLES.

The Aborigines Were Aroused by a Characteristic Act of Treachery.

The cause of the war with the Formosan aborigines which first broke out last aututan and is still being carried on in a half-hearted manner by the Chinese troops, near Tokoham, is stated by Mr. Holland, H.B.M.'s consul, in his report on the trade of Tamsui for 1891 to be characteristic. And so it certainly is, judging from the account which he gives of it, which is to the following effect: "A short sighted official, anxious to find favor with his superiors for the number of heads he could produce, offered a reward of $200 for the head of every savage brought to him. He should have known his countrymen better. Some Chinese, carried away by the desire to obtain this unusually large reward, lost no time in entrapping and beheading some friendly savages, for whose heads they then claimed, and as far as I know, obtained the reward. The rest of the friendly savages, furious at the treachery, at once threw off their allegiance to the Chinese Government and joined the other savages with whom the Chinese were carrying on the usual desultory warfare. The fighting then became serious, hundreds of soldiers were drafted from various directions to the frontier, till 6000 to 7000 troops were engaged in trying to find their hardy and intrepid foes, who fight from the jungle, where the Chinese cannot get at them or even see them, and into which their clothing entirely prevents them from penetrating." The fighting has been conducted with varying success, but in most cases the Chinese troops, though far outnumbering the aborigines, who are estimated to be in that district not more than one thousand, have had very considerably the worst of the different encounters. The aborigines cautiously advance on the Chinese pickets, who are slaughtered to a man and their arms taken for use against their comrades. Mr. Holland says that the savages even carried off a small mountain gun among other spoils. Many of the Chinese troops, having been recruited from the peasantry in Formosa, know absolutely nothing about their weapons, and these raw soldiers fall an easy prey to the hardy savage, who knows every inch of the country, and is far more expert with his primitive bow and spear than his opponent is with his unaccustomed rifle. Even the Hunan troops, experienced veterans as some of them are, are wasted in this guerilla warfare, where they rarely or never see the enemy, and while hunting him down fall victims to the deadly malaria. Referring to the dreadful mortality among the Chinese troops at Tokoham, some time ago, we drew attention to the urgent need of a medical service being instituted and the inhumanity of leaving hundreds of poor fellows to perish of simple neglect. Mr. Consul Holland touches on the same subject; he says:—"Happy is the poor wretch who falls to die outright, for if he drops wounded even if his companions succeed in carrying him off, he probably dies a lingering death, as there is absolutely no provision for the wounded in the way of ambulances or surgical appliances of any kind."

The Art Interchange.

The Art Interchange for October has so many attractive features that it is difficult to know what to select for mention. The most caustic and clever feature, is the "Views by Her" column, in which the public is told some plain truths. The most beautiful one is a dainty and charming Venetian Scene in color, entitled. "A Venetian By-Way." A brilliant Study of Peaches, in color, and a sheet of Dresden Figures and Emblems, also in color, are most useful to Amateurs and Home Decorators. People of taste will be charmed with the beautiful engravings of some of Barabinos' famous paintings, and those desirous of keeping themselves informed of art events will read with interest the Paris-London correspondence, Critics' Comment on the illustrations in the popular magazines, also Art Gossip. An admirable article on Drawing, with careful illustrations of Pansies, telling pupils how and how not to draw, also contains much valuable advice. The Housebuilder and Home Decorator will find in this issue beautiful models for the exterior and interior of a low cost house, with careful plans, and also schemes for decoration. To those who entertain either much or little, the "Social Life" department offers numberless useful suggestions.

Price of the October issue, together with three Art Supplements, in color, 35 cents. For sale by all newsdealers. Published by the Art Interchange, New York.

Brutal Prize Fighting.

There was a rather brutal prize fight behind one of the Esquimalt huts yesterday afternoon between a "C" batteryman and a marine off the Warspite. It was won by the former after two rounds of pretty hard fighting. The match was for $30 a side and was agreed on as a 10-round "go." The marine had the advantage of weight, but despite that was outclassed. Science was not displayed by either men. They simply went in at it, "hammer and tongs," standing together and fighting like demons. Both were badly punished. Several "sports" from the city saw the match.

To the Old People's Home.

The donations to the Old People's Home for August and September were as follows: Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Bishop Hills, Mrs. McBean, Mr. Lewis Lewis, clothing; Miss L. W. Sorby, Mrs. John Grant, Salvation Army, books and papers; Mrs. McBean, groceries; Miss Granelle, Salvation Army, books and papers, Mr. S. McCormack, vegetables; Mrs. Clearhue and a Friend, fruit; Dr. McCandlish, books; St. Paul's church, Esquimalt, fruits and flowers.

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HOW TO MAKE A CALL.

Rules That Should Be Carefully Observed by Young Men.

Ring the bell with your right hand, which should always be ungloved, in case you are obliged to shake hands before being able to take the glove off. Hand one card to the servant for each of the persons you are calling upon and state distinctly the name. If you are calling at a house where a young lady is visiting another lady whom you do not know you should invariably leave a card for the hostess also. This is a matter of courtesy to her. In a case like this you should, if in the evening, invariably wear evening dress, no matter how well you know the young lady.

When she introduces you to her hostess she will be much better pleased if you are beyond criticism. Leave your hat and greatcoat in the hall, and after you are ushered into the parlor or reception room it is well to sit in a chair that faces the door, so that when your friend enters you can rise gracefully facing her upon leaving; do not expect that she will follow you into the hall. Invariably say good night before leaving the room. And when you have said good night do not stand upon the order of going, but go at once. No long stories afterward.

How to Acquire a Good Figure.

Let any girl who desires a good figure stand sidewise before a mirror and take this attitude—erect, with chest forward and the chin back. She will probably be surprised to see how much taller and more stylish it makes her look. It is during girlhood that this correct pose should be acquired, for in after years the joints are less supple and less impression can be made on the form.

How to Care for a Piano.

When the instrument is kept in an overheated and dry room the sounding board loses its bulge, gets flabby and finally cracks. If it doesn't crack the tone becomes thin and leathery and the whole mechanism rattles, for the felt cloths used in the action dries up. Keep a growing plant in the room, and if this thrives the piano will, or there is something wrong with it. Another scheme is to keep a large vase or urn with a sopping wet sponge in it near or under the piano. To prevent the dull, smoky appearance of new pianos use a fine sponge, tepid water and castile soap. Go over the case a little at a time and dry it with a chamois skin wrung as dry as possible out of water.

How to Pronounce Certain Words.

Geography—*As* spelled, not *jog*-raphy.
Geometry—As spelled, not *jom*-etry.
Horizon—Ho-*ri*-zn, not *hor*-i-zon.
Hymeneal—Hy-men-e-al, not hymenal.
Isolate—*Is*-o late, not i so-late, nor *is*olate.
January—As spelled, not Jenuary nor Janewary.
Marchioness—*Mar*-shun-ess.
Massacre—*Mas*-sa-cur.
Medicine—*Med*-e-cin, not *med*-cin.
Miscellany—*Mis*-cellany, not mis-*cel*lany.
Mischievous—*Mis*-chiv-us, not mis-*chee*-vus.

How to Clean Ivory.

The ivory handles of knives and any other ivory articles, when discolored, can be cleaned by the application of a paste made of prepared chalk and equal quantities of ammonia and olive oil. Let it dry, then brush it off. If the stain or discoloration is not gone make a second application.

How to Keep Flatirons Bright.

To keep your flatirons bright and smooth have a little bag of beeswax with which to rub them when they are hot. Then scour them with a rag or paper sprinkled with coarse salt. If you live near a pine grove a branch of pine kept near the ironing board, on which to rub the irons when you take them from the stove, will answer the same purpose and fill the air with delicious outdoor odors.

How to Starch a Linen Shirt.

For starching linen shirts one secret is to boil the starch a long time, say an hour or two. Add borax in the proportion of a teaspoonful to a half gallon of boiled starch. Turn the entire shirt first, then pass a cloth wrung from cold water over the bosom, lay under it a bosom board and iron until the shirt is dry.

How to Make Koumiss.

Fill a pint bottle to the neck with new milk. Dissolve one even tablespoonful of white sugar in hot water; add to the milk. Shave one-eighth compressed yeast cake, add and tie cork tight. Shake well; let it stand near the fire for six hours. Cool twelve hours and it is ready for use. Always remove the cork before shaking when ready to pour out.

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EVERY-DAY WORK.

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JOHN IRVING, Manager.

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Dr. POWELL

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NOTICE.

The offices of Messrs. W. H. RAINBRIDGE & CO., the B. C. Pottery and Terra Cotta Co., the B. C. Agricultural Association and the Thunder Hill Mining Co., have been removed from the Jewell Block, Douglas Street, to No. 42 and 44 Government Street. oct9-1d

CITY HEALTH NOTICE

THE ACTING MEDICAL HEALTH OFFICER for the City of Victoria recommends that all citizens be required to thoroughly clean up their premises, removing all garbage heaps, decaying vegetables, stable manure, and night soil, and disinfecting all closets and drains as often as necessary, and generally to comply with the provisions of the "Consolidated Health By-law."

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

Victoria, October 1, 1892.

EXTRACTS FROM THE "CONSOLIDATED HEALTH BY-LAW."

ACCUMULATION OF FILTH.

No person shall permit or suffer the accumulation, so as to be a nuisance, of any offal, filth, refuse, stagnant water, or other offensive matter or thing upon his premises, or on any vacant lot belonging to him, or for the owner or house of which he is the agent.

No person shall place on any land or in or upon any street, road, or highway, any manure or other refuse matter, or any dirt or filth which is, or is likely to become, a nuisance.

No person shall convey or cause to be conveyed through any street, road, or highway, any night-soil, swill, or other filth or offensive matter dangerous to health, between the hours of six in the morning and twelve in the evening, or at any time except in a proper, covered cart or vehicle, so as to prevent slopping or spilling.

Every tenant or occupier of a building shall dispose of all animal and vegetable refuse from such building or on the premises occupied therewith, either by burning the same or by placing it in a proper covered receptacle, the contents of which he shall cause to be removed at least once every week.

No person shall throw into, or leave in or upon, any street, court, square, road, lane, alley, wharf, public enclosure, vacant lot, pond, or body of water, any dead animal, dirt, sawdust, soot, ashes, cinders, shavings, hair, shreds, manure, fish shells, waste water or filth of any kind, or any refuse, animal, or vegetable matter whatever.

DRAINAGE AND PRIVIES.

The owner, lessee, agent, or person having the care of any ground, yard, vacant lot, or other property where stagnant water or other nuisance exists, abutting on any street through which a common sewer shall have been constructed shall cause the same to be effectually drained into such common sewer.

The owner, lessee, agent, or occupier of any building or premises used as a dwelling house, hotel, restaurant, saloon, shop, store, office, factory, wash house, or otherwise, shall furnish the same with a sufficient drain under ground to carry off all waste or foul water or liquid filth; and no such drain shall empty or discharge into or upon any street, road, or highway, or any open drain thereon, unless in the opinion of the Mayor and Council the same shall not be detrimental to the public health.

All vaults and privies shall be made tight, so that the contents thereof cannot escape therefrom, and as remote from any dwelling, well, or water tank as practicable.

OVERCROWDING.

No person shall let or occupy, or suffer to be occupied, as a dwelling or lodging, any room which—

(a.) Does not contain at all times at least 384 cubic feet of space for each person occupying the same;

(b.) Has not a window made to open in a manner approved by the Medical Health Officer or the Sanitary Inspector; or

(c.) Has not appurtenant to it the use of a water closet, earth closet or privy, constructed in accordance with the by-laws and regulations of the City.

And every room in which a person passes the night, or is found between midnight and five o'clock in the forenoon, shall be deemed to be occupied as a dwelling or lodging within the meaning of this section.

SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.

No person shall erect, open, or use any slaughter-house within the limits of the City of Victoria.

PREVENTION OF THE SPREAD OF DISEASE.

Whenever a person suffering from smallpox, cholera, or any other disease of a malignant character dangerous to the public health, is an inmate of any hotel or boarding house, the keeper, or one of the keepers, of such hotel or boarding house shall immediately give notice thereof to the Medical Health Officer or the Sanitary Inspector, who shall thereupon take such steps as may be deemed necessary to prevent the spread of such disease.

Every medical practitioner attending or visiting any person who is suffering from smallpox, cholera, or any other disease of a malignant character dangerous to the public health, shall immediately give notice thereof to the Medical Health Officer or the Sanitary Inspector, who shall thereupon take such steps as may be deemed necessary to prevent the spread of such disease.

Any officer of the Corporation may seize, and under the direction of the Medical Health Officer, the Mayor or the Sanitary Inspector, destroy any tainted or unwholesome meat, poultry, fish, or other article of food exposed or offered for sale.

PENALTY.

Every person guilty of an infraction of any of the provisions of this by-law shall, upon conviction thereof, in a summary manner, before the Police Magistrate or any two Justices of the Peace having jurisdiction in the City, forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars, and costs if ordered; and if such penalty, and costs if ordered, be not paid immediately or within such period as such Police Magistrate or Justices may appoint, the same may be levied by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the offender, or such offender may be imprisoned, with or without hard labor, for any term not exceeding three calendar months, unless such penalty, and costs if ordered, be sooner paid.

WING ON,

Pioneer Grocer and Provision Dealer

INTELLIGENCE BUREAU. All kinds of Chinese help furnished.

20 Cormorant St. VICTORIA, B.C.

A BY-LAW

TO ENABLE the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars for the purpose therein set forth.

Whereas it is necessary that the streets and sidewalks should be maintained and bridges improved and constructed, and whereas an insufficient sum of the present year's unexpended revenue is at this time available for such work, it is therefore deemed expedient to raise a sum of money for the above purposes.

And whereas for the purposes aforesaid it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the city the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars.

And whereas it will require the sum of $1,282.05 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the debt and interest as hereinafter mentioned.

And whereas the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria according to the revised assessment roll, for the year 1891, was $17,563,148.

And whereas it will require an annual special rate of 3-40th of a mill in the dollar for the payment of the interest and the creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said interest debt, according to the Municipal Act, 1892.

And whereas it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation.

Be it therefore enacted by the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

SECTION 1.—It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation, by way of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $25,000.00 currency, or sterling money at the rate of $4.86 2-3rds dollars to the one pound sterling, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.

SECTION 2.—It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of $25,000.00 either in currency or sterling money (at the rate of $4.86 2-3 dollars to the one pound sterling) as may be required, each of the said debentures being of the amount of $1,000 or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

SEC. (3).—The said debentures shall be made payable in fifty years from the date hereinafter mentioned for this By-law to take effect, at the office of the Treasurer of the said Corporation in the City Hall, Victoria, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, and the signature of the Mayor or of the Clerk of the Corporation respecting to the coupons may be affixed by printed, stamped or lithographed fac simile.

SECTION 4.—The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly at the office of the said Treasurer.

SEC. (5). For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures and the interest to become due thereon, an equal special rate of 3-40ths of a mill in the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the City of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

SECTION 6.—This By-law shall before the final passage thereof receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in the manner provided for by the Municipal Act, 1892, and shall take effect on the 14th day of October, 1892.

SECTION 7.—This By-law may be cited as the "Street Loan By-Law, 1892."

Passed the Municipal Council this 28th day of September, 1892.

TAKE NOTICE

That the above is a true copy of the proposed by-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at Burnes' building, Bastion Square, for the Centre Ward; at the City Hall, corner of Pandora and Douglas streets, for the North Ward, and at a building situated on the east side of Government street, between Broughton and Courtney streets, and known as No. 27, for the South Ward, in the City of Victoria, on Tuesday, the eleventh day of October next, and that the poll will be kept open between the hours of eight o'clock a.m. and four p.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 30th, 1892.

Invertavish Nursery.

BRANCH STORE: 52 Government St.

For the sale of

Cut Flowers, Bouquets, Floral Designs, &c., &c.

A choice and varied assortment of Cut Flowers and Flowering and Ornamental Plants always on hand.

BUSINESS CHANCE

A GOOD RUSTLER can make money by calling at my store and buying my merry go round. The outfit consists of horses, engine (coal), sleighs, organ, etc., and is movable. The sale price can be cleared in two holidays. A great success for the right man.

FRANK CAMPBELL.

A BY-LAW

WHEREAS it is expedient to raise a sum of money to provide for construction and improvement of certain surface drains in the City of Victoria as follows:—

Approximate estimate of cost of principal sewers for surface drainage. August 30th, 1892.

Kings road, Work Estate, brick sewer 4 feet diam.	$27,415.00
View street drain, brick sewer 3 feet diam and branches	20,000.00
Spring Ridge and Fernwood road 2 feet diam.	6,760.00
Cook street drain 2 feet diam and branches	13,333.00
Michigan and Superior street 4 feet brick sewer	10,000.00
Oswego street 20 in. pipe	3,380.00
Menzies street 20 in. pipe	1,800.00
And other necessary drains not specified in above	17,322.00
Total	$100,000.00

And whereas the purpose aforesaid it is intended to raise by way of loan upon the credit of the city, the sum of $100,000.

And whereas it will require the sum of $5157 to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the said debt and interest hereinafter mentioned,

And whereas the amount of the whole rateable property of the said corporation of the City of Victoria according to the last revised assessment roll being for the year 1891 was $17,563,148.00.

And whereas it will require an annual special rate of three-tenths of a mill in the dollar for the payment of the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for payment of the principal of the said interest debt according to the Municipal Act, 1892.

And whereas it is intended to reduce the general rate so that the said special rate shall not increase the total rate of taxation;

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

Sec. (1.) It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of $100,000.00 currency, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the treasurer of the said corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinbefore recited.;

Sec. (2). It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of $100,000.00 in currency, each of the said debentures being of the amount of $1000, and all such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

Sec. (3). The said debentures shall be made payable in fifty years from date hereinafter mentioned for this by-law to take effect at the office of the Treasurer of the said Corporation, City Hall, Victoria, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, and the signature of the Mayor and of the Clerk of the Corporation respectively to the coupons, may be affixed by printed, stamped or lithographed fac simile.

Sec. (4). The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of 4½ per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half yearly at the office of the said Treasurer.

Sec. (5). For the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of the said debentures the interest to become due thereon, an equal special rate of 3-10 of a mill in the dollar shall in addition to all other rates be levied and collected in each year upon all rateable property within the city of Victoria during the continuance of the said debentures or any of them.

Sec. (6). This by-law shall before the passing thereof receive the assent of the electors of the said Corporation in a manner provided for by the Municipal Act, 1892, and shall take effect on the 14th day of October, 1892.

Sec. (7). This by-law may be cited as "The Surface drains by-law, 1892.

Passed the Municipal Council this 28th day of September 1892.

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City Clerk's Office,
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 30th, 1892. oct

The British Ship

KINKORA

(substituted for the Valparaiso)

Will sail from Liverpool

For Victoria and Vancouver

About the end of October.

Freight will be taken at the rate of 12/6 per ton measurement, and 17/ per ton dead weight.

Agents: G. H. FLETCHER & CO., Old Churchyard, Liverpool, And R. P. RITHET & CO. (Ltd.), Wharf street, Victoria.

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NOTICE.

DR. HUGH WATT AND DR. A. T. WATT will attend to my professional duties during my absence in the east.

G. L. MILNE, M.D.

Victoria, Sept 1, 1892. 1w2

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the Union Pottery Company of British Columbia, Limited (liability), will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday the 5th day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Victoria, 30th August, 1892.

CHAS. S. FOSBERY, Secretary.

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SITUATIONS VACANT.

Advertisements under this head will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTED.—A girl for general housework. Address 284 Yates St. oc3-tf

WANTED—Teacher for Esquimalt public school. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to 25th inst. W. S. Goodwin, Secretary Board of Trustees, Esquimalt. au11-tf

SITUATIONS WANTED.

HOUSEKEEPER.—Young English widow (of good family) wishes engagement. Educated, musical, cheerful disposition. Thoroughly competent. Highest reference. Address, Mrs. C., TIMES Office. oc4-2t

WANTED—Situation as housekeeper by a person of experience. Address "A," P.O. Box 622, Victoria. oc4-1m

WANTED—Situation as useful companion to a lady. Address, M. P., TIMES Office. oc3-2

WANTED—A lady would like to accept a situation as nursery governess or lady's companion to a first-class family to China or Japan. First-class references. Mrs. G. W. Gordon, Vancouver, B. C. se20-1w

WANTED—Dressmaking by the day. Apply M. H. T., TIMES Office. se30-1w

WANTED—Situation as housemaid in respectable family by a young girl; also position as nurse in a respectable family. Apply F. C. L., TIMES Office. se23-tf

LADY desires entire charge of a child at her own home. Every care given. A. B. C., TIME office. se12-1m

CIVIL ENGINEER, young, Cooper's Hill College diploma, with practical experience on railway and other work, desires engagement as an assistant engineer or otherwise. Good credentials. Address J. A. B. this office. sep5-1m

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

Advertisements under this head will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.

WANTED — Immediately, a second hand steam engine and boiler, three or four horse-power. Address, stating particulars, "Business," TIMES office. au12-tf

WANTED—To borrow two buggy horses for two months; keep for work, also two buggies. H. C. TIMES office. jy12-tf

FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE—A useful mare, quiet and sound. Suitable for buggy or saddle. Low price for cash. Apply Fleming Bros., 50½ Government street. oct1-tf

FOR SALE.—An elegant solid oak-top 18-foot counter. Enquire at Mortimer's Auction Rooms, cor. View and Broad Streets. oct-tf

FOR SALE—On Stanley avenue (60 feet wide) near Fort street, three lots, each 50 ft. front by 123 ft. deep; trenched two feet deep and drained, with about 30 choice fruit trees on each lot. Apply to Wm. Andean, Upper Pandora avenue. au30-2m

FOR SALE—Furnishings of a commodious and desirable hotel. Apply to Weiler Bros., 55 Fort street. jy13

TO LET.

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LARGE PLEASANT ROOM for one or two gentlemen. 77 Discovery St. se26-10t

TO LEASE.—The fine House and Orchard about 5 acres, known as the "Pritchard Residence." Near Head of Fort Street. Apply Heisterman & Co., 75 Government Street. se21-tf

$10 A MONTH—Nice detatched cottages, Spring Ridge, six rooms each; this rent is very moderate. Also seven-roomed house and shop. Apply C. Farrington, Spring Ridge, or Mr. Kearns on the premises. se20tf

TO LET—Well furnished rooms and kitchen, with every requisite for house-keeping for a married couple, at Miss McCandlish's, 63 Superior St. se15-tf

LOST OR FOUND.

FOUND—Stray cow. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses. Apply T. Grieve, Mt. Tolmie. oc4-1w

ARCHITECTS.

THOMAS HOOPER,
ARCHITECT.
Office over SPENCER'S ARCADE, Government street. jy5-tf

JNO. TEAGUE,
ARCHITECT,
Has removed to new offices corner of Broad street and Trounce avenue. fe20tf

PIANO TUNING.

PIANOFORTE TUNING AND REPAIRING By a competent person from the leading manufacturers in the United States.
City references:—All the music stores, where orders will be thankfully received and promptly attended to.
je9-3m JAMES SHERIDAN.

PIANOS TUNED AND REGULATED. $2.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

MR. WINDEBANK, Vocal Humorist and Pianoforte Tuner, has removed from Blanchard Street to 85 Fort Street. Concertinas, Flutinas, etc., tuned and repaired. Musical Parties attended. Finishing touches given in vocalization. Satisfaction guaranteed. Letters punctually attended to. 85 Fort St. se20im

GEO. W. FUGGLE,
PIANOFORTE MAKER AND TUNER.
Three years with Goodwin & Co. Orders left at factory, 76 Princess avenue; also at Jamieson's book store, next postoffice. Violins, mandolins and Guitars repaired. P.O Box

PHYSICIANS.

DR. SPROULE.

DR. METHERELL,
Graduate of the University of Trinity College; Fellow (by examination) of Trinity Medical College; Member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons; Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh; Licentiate of the Faculty of Physicians and Surgeons of Glasgow, and Fellow of the Academy of Medicine and Surgery of the Canary Islands. Late of Her Majesty's Service.
59½ Government street. Telephone 80.
Hours 1 to 3 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.
Residence, Victoria West. Telephone 580. Calls promptly attended day or night. au17

DR. ERNEST HALL,
L.R.C.P., Edinburgh,
Physician, Surgeon, etc. Specialty:—Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
Office, corner Yates and Douglas streets.
Residence, corner Cadboro Bay road and Fernwood. au4

HOMŒOPATHY
DR. JOHN HALL
98 Yates street, over Cochrane and Munn's Drug Store.
CHRONIC AND CHILDREN'S DISEASES A SPECIALTY.
Office hours, from 1 to p.m only except ng sunday and holidays.

DR. A. T. WATT,
Physician, Surgeon and Accoucheur.
Office and residence No. 36½ Douglas street near Fort), Dr. Milne's old residence.
May 19-d&w-tf

MRS. McGREGOR,
MIDWIFE.
jy14 137 Cormorant Street.

Victoria's Leading Merchants

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WATCHMAKER AND JEWELLER
Chronometers rated by Transit Observations.
NO. 43 GOVERNMENT STREET.

LEWIS HALL, D.D.S.
DENTIST.
Graduate Philadelphia Dental College.
SPECIALTY:—Administration of Gas or Ether for painless extraction of teeth.
HOURS:—9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
OFFICE:—Corner Yates and Douglas.

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The Finest FAMILY Grocery Establishment in B.C. is that of
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39 & 41 JOHNSON STREET.
Give him a call and inspect his well selected stock of Fine Groceries and Table Luxuries.

ROCK BAY LUMBER YARD,
Mills at Cowichan Bay,
HUGHITT & McINTYRE.
Acknowledged the Finest Lumber in Victoria. All kinds of Rough and Dressed Lumber, Laths and Shingles. Orders receive prompt attention.
ISAAC ROGERSON, Manager.

FINE COMMERCIAL PRINTING
At moderate charges, at
Cohen's Printing Office
38 FORT STREET.

OSBORNE HOUSE
Corner Pandora and Blanchard Streets.
34 Large and Airy Rooms.
Board and Lodging, $5 per week, or $1 per day. Day Board, $4 per week.
C. W. MONK, - - - PROPRIETOR.

What Grocers and Hotelkeepers in Toronto and British Columbia say about
FALCONER'S
Malt, White Wine and Cider Vinegars:
That it is the best in the world.
We use only Falconer's.
Pre-eminently superior to all others.
None compare with it for pickling.
Far superior to any for the table.
We find his vinegars the best.
Most satisfactory for all uses.
We use them exclusively.
We find them excellent.
VICTORIA VINEGAR AND PICKLE WORKS,
VICTORIA, B.C.
Ask your grocer for it and take no other.

VICTORIA REPAIR WORKS
We are now thoroughly prepared to execute all manner of mechanical repairs: Lock-work, Key Fitting, repairs to Lawn Mowers, Sewing Machines, Cash Registers, Lamps, Parasols, Umbrellas. Saw Gumming and Filing a Specialty.
J. WAITES & CO., - - - 45 Pandora street

SOCIETIES.

SONS OF ENGLAND BENEVOLENT SOC'Y
Pride of the Island No. 131 meets first and third Wednesdays at 7:45 p.m., in St. George's Hall, Government and Bastion Sts. Visiting brethren cordially invited. ARTHUR LEE, P.O. Box 782. au19yr Secretary.

ROYAL TEMPLARS OF TEMPERANCE
Victoria Council No. 2, R. T. of T., meets every Monday night in the Pandora Temperance Hall, at 8 p.m. Visiting members welcome.
Select Degree meets 1st Wednesday in each month. A. H. MATTHEW,
G. SUTHERLAND, S.C. ap12 R. Sec.

I. O. G. T. PERSEVERANCE LODGE, No. 1, I.O.G.T., meets every Tuesday evening in Temperance Hall, Pandora avenue, at 7:30 o'clock. my17

B. C. PIONEER SOCIETY.
The Hall of the above society in Musgrave Block, Broad street, is open daily from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., for the convenience of Pioneers and their friends, who are cordially invited to visit the rooms.

ANCIENT ORDER FORESTERS
Court Vancouver No. 5755, A.O.F., meets 1st and 3rd Mondays in each month in Foresters' Hall, Government street. Visiting brothers are invited.
fe13 SIDNEY WILSON, Sec.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA LODGE,
No. 1, A. F. & A.M., B.C.R. Regular communications the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner of Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
ja16 C. DUBOIS MASON, Secretary.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE,
No. 2, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. jy26 R. A. BROWN, Secretary.

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH
Chapter, No. 120, G.R.S. Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall, Masonic Temple, Douglas street. Sojourning companions cordially invited. E. LANGLEY, Scribe E.
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FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P
Regular convention every Friday evening at Knights of Pythias Hall, Broad street. Sojourning knights are cordially invited to attend. E. PFERDNER,
oct9 K. of R. & S.

ST. ANDREW'S & CALEDONIAN
Society meets in their own hall, Blanchard St., on the first Friday in every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
J. M. MURDOCH, Secretary.

VETERINARY.

S. F. TOLMIE,
VETERINARY SURGEON,
Graduate Ont. Vet. Col., Member Ont. Vet. Soc. (Late with Dr. John Wende, V. S., Buffalo, N. Y.) Office at Bray's Livery 109 Johnson Street. Telephone 182; residence telephone 417. VICTORIA, B. C.

INSURANCE.

THE NORWICH UNION
FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY.
Established 1797. Amount insured $30,000,000.
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CITY SCAVENGER.
Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Prompt attention given to all orders and prices reasonable.
Orders left at Dixi Ross & Co.'s and Robert Porter's, Island Market, Johnson and Douglas streets.
Residence, Discovery street, between Government and Douglas. jul8

JOHN DOHERTY
GENERAL SCAVENGER.
Yards and cesspools cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Jas. Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers; Cochrane & Munn, corner Yates and Douglas streets, or George Doughty, corner Fort and Blanchard streets, will be promptly attended to. Coa and wood for sale. e22-1y

MISCELLANEOUS.

FEATHER DYEING.
MRS. WINDEBANK.
Ostrich Feathers Dyed, Cleaned and Curled. 85 Fort Street, Victoria. Felt Hats, Kid Gloves and Furs Cleaned. Kid Gloves dyed black. se26-1m

QUEEN'S MARKET.
L. GOODACRE.
Government street, Victoria, B. C., wholesale and retail Butcher, Contractor by appointment to her Majesty's Royal Navy.

A. & W. WILSON,
PLUMBERS AND GASFITTERS.
Bell Hangers and Tinsmiths. Dealers in best descriptions of Heating and Cooking Stoves, Ranges, etc. Shipping supplied at lowest rates. Broad street, Victoria, B. C. Telephone call 136

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By leaving your orders for additions, alterations, repairs, or other carpenter work with
J. P. BURGESS, 10 Broughton Street
—ALSO—
For Sale cheap, one Wagon, half spring, and one Covered Phaeton.

THOS. SPENCE,
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KELOWNA,
Okanagan Mission, B.C.
jy29-d&w

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MISS L. ADAMS, PRINCIPAL.
97 Quadra street,
Competent and Experienced Staff of Teachers in
SINGING, HARMONY, PIANO, ORGAN, VIOLIN, MANDOLIN AND GUITAR.
Applications to be made to the Principal.

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BARRISTERS & SOLICITORS.
OFFICE:
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(Successors to Hyaw s)
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Special attention paid to voice production Lessons given at residence of pupils.
Terms on application.
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THE SAMARITAN
Lying-In-Home,
NO. 11 RAE STREET.
TERMS:—Patients, previous to confinement, $3 per week. During confinement, including medical attendance and nursing, $10 per week. Patients, with good references, who may be unable to pay will be treated free of charge. For admission apply at the Home.

Mrs. E. Barlow,
Has again opened her
DRESS-MAKING PARLORS,
At the Old Stand, 74 Quadra St., where she will be pleased to meet all her old customers or any other Ladies who wish
First-Class Dress-Making
CUTTING AND FITTING A SPECIALTY.
74 QUADRA ST. se7-1m

THE JAPANESE BAZAAR
A Special Choice Line in
HANDSOME SILK BED COVERS.
Largest and Best Show in the Province of all kinds of
ORIENTAL GOODS.
Best Manilla Cigars and Cheroots.
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UNFAIR AND UNTRUE.

It would be difficult, and not altogether profitable, to follow the Colonist in all its devious windings and twistings in defence of Davieism. Some of them require notice, however. This morning our neighbor seeks to turn aside the charge that Dr. Davie laid down the provincial health officership rather than proceed to extremities with Vancouver, but the facts are a little too plain and too well remembered to leave it any prospect of success. Dr. Davie insisted on the removal of all Victoria suspects to the suspect station, and he caused the removal of Dr. Milne on the plea that the latter failed to carry out the regulation to the very letter. The Vancouver authorities utterly refused to carry out the same regulation, and instead of applying coercion to them Dr. Davie resigned. There need be no doubt as to the inference to be drawn from the circumstances, and the TIMES was quite warranted in asking that Dr. Davie on resuming his office should make no further display of this kind. But in its zeal to serve the Davies the Colonist does not hesitate at unfairness, and even prevarication, as witness the following from its columns this morning:

When the Government was convinced that a Health Officer for the province was no longer required, the smallpox scare had almost entirely disappeared. The people of the province believed the danger to have passed away and expected that in a very short time the disease would completely disappear. And it would have disappeared if there had been any energy or intelligence in the City Board of Health. But no sooner was Dr. Davie out of office than the city authorities relapsed into their old stupid and slovenly ways. They believe that the rules regarding suspects which Dr. Davie had made and enforced were too stringent and caused the expenditure of too much money, and they ran the suspect station according to their own ideas. The consequence has been that the disease has lingered about the city much longer than it ought to have done, and alarmists abroad have had a pretext for representing Victoria to be again in a dangerous condition.

Now the fact is that a smallpox case was discovered just about the time Dr. Davie resigned, and it must at least have been "incubating" while he was in office. Subsequent cases likewise appeared wherein the infection must have been at work during Dr. Davie's regime. Every person knows quite well that the contagion was not completely stamped out before Dr. Davie laid down his office, and the Colonist looks extremely foolish in trying to make it appear that it was. Further than this, neither Dr. Davie nor the Colonist can produce the slightest bit of evidence to show that since Dr. Davie resigned the city health authorities have failed in any particular to carry out the regulations relating to smallpox. Every case has been removed to the hospital as soon as it was reported, and the "suspects" have been sent to Ross Bay in all but two cases, namely, the Indians now in quarantine on the reserve and one family in Victoria West. In the cases of these suspects removal was out of the question, and they were effectively isolated where they were. The Colonist is guilty of untruthfulness when it accuses the authorities of negligence in regard to smallpox. It is also doing an injury to the city, for those outside alarmists of whom it speaks will at once seize on its false statement as a corroboration of their own wild yarns. The Nanaimo Free Press has worked itself into a frenzy over the baseless supposition that the Victoria health authorities have done nothing to keep the disease from spreading, and of course it will quote the Colonist lie in its own support. The Vancouver papers will follow suit. The Colonist should remember that its attempts to discredit the local authorities are likely to damage the city more than the authorities. Surely it is going a little too far in its efforts to "boom" the Davies when it takes such a course as is likely to increase rather than diminish the scare that outsiders are trying to work up against the city.

THE MINING LAW.

It is plain that if the miners' opinions are to be heeded the mining law will have to undergo further alteration. The changes made last session in regard to locations are not at all acceptable to those who are chiefly affected. From a report in the Kootenay Star it appears that a meeting of miners held at Illecillewaet lately unanimously adopted a resolution: "That a committee be appointed to draft a petition to the Legislative Assembly praying them to repeal the present Act and re-enact the old laws of 1891." The meeting, says the Star, "was almost unanimous in the opinion that the owner of a mining location should have the right to follow his lode in all its dips, spurs and angles." The Ainsworth News, which has discussed the present law and its defects in a very intelligent manner, thus sums up what the miners regard as the bad features of the law:—

1. The absurd length of claims.
2. The inadequate staking required by the law.
3. The denial of extralateral rights.
4. The fact that no time is allowed for prospecting the ledge before recording; and that it is possible to record a claim on which no discovery of mineral has ever been made.

The News further suggests the following reforms, which it believes would be acceptable to the miners:—

1. The width of a claim should be reduced to 600 feet.
2. The locator of a claim should be obliged to blaze a line round its boundaries, this line to be afterwards corrected by the surveyor.
3. Miners should be allowed to follow their lode to any depth, within the boundaries of lines drawn perpendicular to its general direction, from the point of contact between the surface croppings and the side, or end lines of their claim.
4. The prospector, on making a discovery, should be obliged to put in a discovery post, which should hold the ground for a reasonable period, while he prospects the claim, and if, within this time, he cannot take an affidavit that he has discovered a mineral deposit, he should be unable to record.

Miners, like other people, may sometimes complain unduly, but the unanimity of the protest against the law as it stands shows that there is good cause for complaint in this case. The changes of last session were made hastily and without due consideration, with the result that the work of revision will have to be done over again in a very short time.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Colonist seems to think that the possibility of suspending the Habeas Corpus Act affords a parallel to Premier Davie's proposal to suspend a clause of the Municipal Act. Our neighbor should know, if it does not know, that habeas corpus can be suspended only by a special act of Parliament, not at the will of the Executive. The Colonist had better try again.

Winnipeg's City Council seems to be meeting with its due share of troubles. In a late issue of the Free Press this picture of the state of civic affairs is drawn:

There is a row over the waterworks; there is a row over the telephone service; there is a commotion over a proposal to reform our system of assessment, and more than commotion over the further proposal to reform our entire system of municipal government; there is war between the two street railway companies, and sewer contracting has only just subsided into a condition of quietness. The municipal peace has never been so disturbed in the memory of the oldest inhabitant. Is it Mars or Columbus that is responsible for all this turmoil and wrangling?

Some enemy of the Canadian Pacific Railway seems to have been poisoning Mr. Labouchere's mind against that road. In Truth of the 15th ult., he says:—

Some very startling statements have reached me respecting the insecurity of passengers' property on the Canadian Pacific Railway, both in the sleeping cars and in the luggage cars, and the charges made directly implicate the company's servants. Without going into details, it may be as well to give a word of warning on the subject to English travellers, and as in a few months' time there will be an unusual influx of English travellers into all parts of North America, the Canadian Pacific Company may, perhaps, think it worth their while to improve their service in this respect in the interval.

Surely Mr. Labouchere has been misled by some designing individual.

A recent cable dispatch from London to the Montreal Star is not calculated to afford much comfort to the disciples of Tupper. It reads as follows: "The Times this morning gives a further blow to the hope of the United Empire traders. In its leading editorial it says that to restore protection would be far more difficult than was its destruction fifty years ago. It flatly denies that a duty on foreign wheat would not lead to an increase in the price of the British loaf, and contends that a duty of six shillings per quarter would mean a tax of five million pounds sterling in the community, fifty per cent. of which would never reach the exchequer, but would simply enrich a small class." When the London Times speaks in this decided way Sir Charles Tupper and Col. Howard Vincent may well understand that they have a heavy task before them.

The Montreal Herald and the Coaticook Observer have been indulging in a discussion over the tariff question, in the course of which the Observer thus gave expression to its sentiments:

The Herald is doubtless on the right track when it advocates the opening of the continental markets. It is what the present Government is trying to do, and the Herald article is, therefore, an endorsation of its policy in this particular. The Herald also advises the scaling down of the present excessive tariff. We are with the Herald in this particular. We believe the farmer is in special need of help, and should receive the special attention of the Government. In addition to the matter of markets, the Government should reduce the duties where they bear heavily upon the farmer—and they will have to do it too. They will never dare to appeal to the country again until they have done something to ameliorate the condition of our agriculturists.

The observer is an influential Conservative paper, and one of the most prominent mouthpieces of public opinion in the Eastern Townships. It would not give utterance to such sentiments as those quoted above if it were not thoroughly certain about their being agreeable to the English farmers surrounding Coaticook. In view of its position and in view of the announcement of the Tory ministers at Petrolea that they had no intention of changing their policy, the last sentence in this quotation from the Observer seems peculiarly significant.

BUSINESS FOR THE COUNCIL.

The Board of Aldermen to Deal With Several Important Resolutions.

Two new resolutions were placed on the bulletin board at the city hall this morning, which with the other three already published will give the board of aldermen a lot of work on Wednesday evening.

Ald. Bragg has given notice that he will move that the opinion of the city barristers be asked as to the proper method to be adopted by the council for acquiring the property referred to in a resolution of the council of Sept. 24. The property referred to is Clover Point.

Ald. Hall will move that the council decide to open Birdcage Walk from Michigan street to connect with Carr street. It is proposed to make the street 60 feet wide, and the work is to be done under the local improvement by-law.

COUNCILLORS AND DIRECTORS.

The Aldermen and Jubilee Hospital Directors Discuss Quarantine.

The city council and a committee of the Jubilee Hospital directors convened in the council chamber this afternoon. The subject of discussion was the quarantine station.

The Jubilee directors notified the council that at the end of the present month the Jubilee Hospital could not longer be used as a quarantine station. The directors stated that the fact of the establishment of a quarantine upon their grounds was doing them harm. The aldermen had a proposition or two and the joint meeting was held to exchange views and come to a settlement satisfactory and amicable.

Mayor Beaven had ten minutes to spare when he reached the City Hall. The meeting was called for 3 o'clock and it was 10 minutes of the hour.

"You can't get on without the press, Mr. Mayor?" The TIMES man asked the question.

"It's only a business meeting to devise ways and means," the chief magistrate replied. "We can't always let the public know."

A few minutes later, the Mayor was in the council room of the City Hall. He asked the assembled gentlemen if they desired the services of the press. They thought that the fourth estate would be "not wanted." The directors thought it better to have nothing in the papers. Aldermen Lovell and McKillican thought they saw injunctions in the air. So the newspaper man bowed himself out and left them alone in their glory.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Steamer Maude leaves this evening for the west coast.

Steamer City of Puebla sails for San Francisco to-morrow morning.

Steamer Walla Walla from San Francisco this morning brought 111 tons of freight for Victoria.

Steamer R. P. Rithet last night brought down a carload of Enderby flour. It was unloaded at the outer wharf.

The steamer City of Kingston will this evening take two carloads of salmon to Tacoma for shipment east over the N.P.R.

The Seattle sealing schooner Willard Ainsworth, which has been here since her return from Copper Island, left for Seattle this afternoon.

Concert at Centennial Church.

The following is the programme of the concert to-morrow evening in the Centennial Methodist church:

Piano Solo.....Miss Morris
Vocal Solo.....Good-bye.....Mr. White
Vocal Solo.....Miss Anderson
If the Waters Could Speak as They Flow.
Guitar and Mandolin....Messrs Borelle and Ball
Vocal Solo.....Mrs. Drury
Vocal Solo....True Till Death....Mr. Watson
Piano Solo.....Miss Haynes
Vocal Solo.....Miss O'Neill
Recitation.....The Ruggles.....Miss Sayres
Trio.....Hall Bros
Vocal Solo.....Mrs. McCandlish
Nearer My God to Thee.
Vocal Solo.....The Lost Chord.....Mr. Grant
Mrs. Lewis Hall.....Accompanist

Regina vs. Potts.

The case of Regina vs. Potts, was called in the Supreme Court this afternoon, Mr. Justice Drake presiding. Mr. A. G. Smith, Deputy Attorney-General, appeared for the prosecution and Mr. A. L. Belyea for the defense. Gracie Walker, whom Potts is alleged to have assaulted, was the first witness called. She told a story similar to the one she told in the police court. The witness was being cross-examined at 3:30 by Mr. Belyea.

Marine Engineers' Meeting.

The marine engineers will hold their regular monthly meeting on Saturday evening at 8 in the association rooms, Five Sisters block.

Use "Highland Brand" evaporated cream.
Drink Victoria Lager.

DEATH OF WILLIAM ELFORD.

He is Found Dead This Morning in a Barn at the Rear of His Residence.

While in a Fit of Despair he Hangs Himself—The Supposed Causes.

William Elford was found dead this morning, hanging to a scantling in the barn at the rear of his father's residence, 130 Cadboro Bay road.

His mind has been wandering for some time and it it is supposed that while suffering from despondency he committed suicide. He had tied his hands behind his back, so that even it he had wished he could not have saved himself after jumping from the step ladder which he used for the purpose of reaching the required height.

It was about 7 this morning when the deceased was found by his aged father, whe, having missed his son, went out to look for him. The body was then perfectly cold so that he must have hanged himself early in the evening.

The deceased had been laboring under the delusion for some time that someone was trying to take his property, consisting of several ranches, from him. He continually talked of this to his relatives, who did all they could to convince him that it was not so. It is thought that he at last discovered that his mind was unbalanced and therefore committed suicide in despair.

Besides this he had been ill. He was vaccinated during the smallpox scare. In spite of this and the entreaties of his friends he continued to work out in the sun and his relatives are of opinion that a slight sunstroke also affected his mind. His relatives tried their best to stop him from working, but with little success. Although he fainted three times one morning he continued at his work until he was almost too weak to move.

Last night he had a long talk with his brother, and during the conversation he frequently referred to his property and the hallucination that some one was trying to take it from him. Shortly after his brother left the house, deceased was heard to go out. That was the last time he was seen alive.

William Elford was a native of London. He came to Victoria in 1859 with his parents, both of whom survive him. He was 46 years of age.

Coroner Hasell is holding an inquest this afternoon.

Deserting Yale.

The Hudson Bay Company has closed out its store at Yale, the trade at that place having decreased to such an extent that a store is no longer necessary. Before and during the construction of the C.P.R. Yale was one of the liveliest places in the province, but when the road was completed the little town died out altogether. During Yale's boom days there were several thousand people there, and it was there that the men working on the C.P.R. went for their provisions. Before the line was started the miners made Yale lively, it being the point from which goods were shipped into the Cariboo country. Now the place is almost entirely deserted.

Not Prepared to Speak.

Mr. F. C. Gamble, the Dominion Government Engineer, was seen this morning regarding a dispatch from Ottawa, stating that he had recommended the establishment of a quarantine station at Williams Head. He said that he could not say anything regarding the matter as he had nothing to do with it.

A Cement Cargo.

One of the Sound freight steamers will be here in a day or so with 500 barrels of cement for Turner, Beeton & Co. It is coming from Tacoma and could not be handled very well by the City of Kingston. The steamer Rapid Transit will probably be the one sent over with the freight.

A Missing Postman.

S. J. Smith, one of the letter carriers, has been missing for several days. He has not been to the Postoffice since Saturday to take out his mail, nor has he been seen since Sunday at the Dominion hotel, where he was staying. It is thought that he has left the city.

Appreciated Worth.

Walter F. Topping, the popular bookkeeper of the News Publishing Co., will go to Vancouver on Nov. 1 to accept the position of secretary of the Union Steamship Co. He will act as manager in the absence of Capt. Webster, who contemplates an extended visit to England.

Entirely False.

A Vancouver dispatch to the Seattle Post-Intelligencer says Miss Kane, daughter of Col. Kane of this city, is suffering from smallpox. The dispatch is entirely false, but a good sample of the news sent out by a certain correspondent of the terminal city.

Married Last Evening.

William Sheppard and Louise Moon, both of Ashcroft were married last evening. The ceremony was performed at St. James church by Archdeacon Scriven. The wedding was a very quiet and pretty one.

Cattle Shooting.

Sergt. Langley, of the provincial police, went down to Sooke this morning to enquire into a cattle shooting case. No particulars of the alleged shooting have yet been received.

Going Home Again.

Mr. J. J. Bell, editorial writer for the late News, leaves in the morning for the mainland. He will then, after a few days, go east to his old home in Toronto.

Thrown Out and Hurt.

James Keown was thrown from his express yesterday evening at the fountains, the horse took fright, Mr. Keown had his right knee-cap fractured.

The Premier's Fall.

Premier Davie was unhorsed on Douglas street on Monday, at noon, but fortunately he struck on a soft place and was not hurt.

Connoisseurs agree that the best and cheapest mantles, jackets, and winter garments are at the Albion House, Government street, E. White.*

A 1 shaving materials at Fox's.

Phœnix Lager Beer.

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Corner right—read it. *

For the Christmas Holidays.

The Victoria Amateur Dramatic Society are making arrangements for the presentation of a new opera Christmas week.

Battery Drill.

Every member of No. 3 battery, B.C. B.G.A., is requested to attend the regular drill to be held to-morrow evening at the Market Hall.

Masquerade Ball.

The first masquerade ball of the season takes place at Omineca Hall No. 5 Oriental avenue, on Tuesday, Oct. 4th. Music by the Bantly family

Cleanliness Next to Godliness.

Use "Purity" brand of soap for face and hands, manufactured from pure oils at the Victoria Electric Soap Works. Findley & DesBrisay, proprietors, Warren's wharf, James Bay.

Everybody Enjoyed It.

An "At Home" was given by the First Presbyterian church Young People's Association at the residence of Mr. W. Munsie, Johnson street, last night. It was a very enjoyable affair, there being a large number present.

Social.

A social will be given to-morrow evening, Tuesday 4th inst., in the Pandora avenue Methodist church, at which Miss Sayyea will give one of her most popular lectures on physical culture. Admission 25 cents, including refreshments. *

For Winter Entertainment.

"Pleasant evenings" will again be the order of the winter entertainments in St. Saviour's church, Victoria West. A meeting will be held on Monday evening to arrange for these attractive concerts.

Sabbath Observance Rewarded.

A large sheet of plaster fell on the chair of the Hon. Mr. Vernon in the office of the Commissioner of Lands and Works Sunday morning. If the minister had been in his office he would have been severely hurt. Moral: Be a Sabbath observer.

The First Ten.

The first ten pupils of the third division, Victoria High School, for September, were: Agnes Petit, Harriet Elizabeth Ross, Lizzie Mildred Watkins, David George Kurtz, Martha Paulina Wolff, Elinor Grace Nisbet, Kate Corley Wolfenden, Edith Louisa Byrn, John Archibald McTavish, Leonard Alfred Gill.

The Chatauqua Circle.

The final meeting of the Chatauqua Scientific and Literary Circle will be held to-morrow evening at 8 in the school room of the Pandora avenue Methodist church. The membership of the circle has been increased considerably since last season. The meetings will be even more interesting and instructive than they have formerly been.

By Public Auction.

At eleven to-morrow morning Messrs. J. P. Davies & Co. will sell by public auction a lot of groceries and hats. The former consists of 448 sacks of rice damaged on the voyage, 22 cases, pints, English ale, and celery pepper, assorted jams and jellies, soap, mustard, sauces, evaporated peaches, assorted extracts, prunes, shoe polish.

Everything Satisfactory.

The rumor that there had been trouble in regard to the Canada Western Central Railway bonds was not true. Mr. Rithet said this morning that he was certain that everything would be arranged satisfactorily. He of course had to satisfy himself regarding the bond put up in Chicago, and as far as he had investigated everything was as it should be.

Good Customers.

The U. S. survey steamers Hassler, Patterson and McArthur, which arrived on Sunday from Alaska, left yesterday afternoon for Port Townsend. Some of the vessels took on supplies here and all the officers bought supplies of clothing. One Government street merchant sold them $300 worth of goods. The Hassler will leave at an early date for San Francisco, and the other vessels will quickly follow suit. The tender Ernest will be left on the Sound.

A Brilliant Actress.

Margaret Mather, the charming young actress who is to appear at the Victoria theatre on Monday and Tuesday evenings, 10th and 11th insts., is an American by birth, having first seen the light in Detroit, Michigan, about thirty years ago. Her talent for dramatic work was noticed at an early period and she was given every opportunity to expand into the splendid tragedienne who has thrilled and delighted audiences all over America. Some people have one or two good things from fortune, the vast majority none at all, and some again have favors heaped upon them by the fickle goddess. Of these latter Miss Mather is one. She is not only a woman of superior intellect and very brilliant talents, further enchanced by a careful education, but she is undoubtedly one of the beauties of the American stage. She has the majestic carriage and full, well rounded proportions so necessary to the proper presentation of tragic lines, and also a natural easy grace and correctness of pose that complete the attractiveness of this type of actress. Added to all this is a noble face, oval, inclined to the dark Spanish type of beauty; illuminated by two great lustrous eyes that can dart fire or beam with wonderful softness. The mobility of the entire countenance is splendid. The thousand emotions of which such a mind is capable are shadowed in the face; they flit across the tell-tale mirror like sunbeams and clouds across a lake's surface. The writer has seen great audiences, the wealthiest, most fashionable and most brilliant in some of the eastern cities, go wild with enthusiasm over this actress' portrayal of the character Juliet or some other part in which there is opportunity for the play of the loftiest passions. It will be a great chance for Victorians to see a front rank actress when Miss Mather appears here in "The Egyptian" and "Romeo and Juliet," supported by her superb company.

To artists—A lot of drawing copies at half price. J. Johnson & Co. *

Phœnix Lager Beer.

FRESH DISCLOSURES.

Narrative of a Seal Hunter in Which the Seizure of the Carmolite is Confirmed.

He Says a Sealer who Resisted Arrest Was Shot and Buried by the Russian Guards.

Donald McCuish and Andrew Thompson, two of the crew of the seized sealing schooner Maria, arrived in Victoria this morning. They came here on the steamship Walla Walla from San Francisco, to which port they went from Petropaulovsky on the Russian Fur Company's schooner Leon. They confirm the report of the seizure of the schooner Carmolite and bring full particulars of it.

A TIMES man found Donald McCuish this morning, and from him obtained an interesting story. Said he:

"The Maria was seized about 15 miles off Copper Island on Aug. 21st. Our chronometer was out and our captain really did not know where he was until the fog lifted on the morning of our seizure. We were seen from the lookout in the elevated part of the island, and the steamer Kotick was sent after us. She easily came up to us, and the schooner was seized. We had over 600 sealskins at the time. We were taken to Petropaulovsky, and there, on September 1st, we were joined by the crew of the Carmolite. They were brought in by the admiral's flagship, which had seized them. The schooner came in later with a prize crew. The seizure of the Carmolite was unfortunate, too. Her captain kept off the whole season, and only came in to speak some of the schooners to learn how things stood. He ran right into the Russian, and when he turned and ran away was overtaken. The two crews, with the boat's crew from the Annie C. Moore, all fared very well. They were given an allowance, and by a little fine work got some of their own provisions. They are all to go to Vladivostock and will come across to Victoria on one of the Empresses. They will be looked after by the British consuls."

"I went to work at Petropaulovsky packing sealskins, and got down to San Francisco with my chum on the Leon. We reached San Francisco a week ago last Sunday and I went to work as watchman on the Kotick.

"I learned a very curious thing there. The boys told me that a few days before we came to Copper Island there had been a funeral. They said a seal hunter had come into the rookeries and the guards had gone after him. He resisted capture and stood them off with his shot gun. They shot him for his pains, and buried him right there. My informant did not know his name nor his nationality nor the schooner from which he came. I do not know, of course, how much there is in it, but it will bear investigating."

"The governor of the islands has resigned, and is going home. He is a nice fellow, but that governor at Petropaulovsky is generally detested. He makes all bend the knee to him. I learned that the Zabiaka had been ordered to remain in that vicinity until after November to see that there is no raiding. Capt. De Levron has orders, it is said, to blow up any schooner he seizes and cannot conveniently take care of. Of course the crews and skins are first to be removed. The other vessels will leave those waters very soon as there is not much more for them to do. The Zabiaka is competent to keep a satisfactory look out."

"It is funny the fellows stationed at Copper Island detest the Russians and hate the Japanese, while they are inclined to be friendly to the Americans and certainly treated me, a British subject, very decently. Nothing incenses them more than to call them Russians. The men on the Kotick wanted to give me a berth in the ship at San Francisco, but as the British consul had secured me a passage to Victoria I did not accept it. The Maria had a good catch despite the fact that some of our hunters were green men. We had planned to remain out longer and had provisions enough to last us. We would have secured more skins as we were taking some right along."

McCuish and Thompson find themselves back in port penniless, but the former says he is going sealing again next year. The two were boatmen.

Changing Districts.

Mr. E. H. Merrill and R. J. Keown traveling agents for the Standard Oil Company, are in the city. Mr. Merrill, who has for some time covered the Northwestern district, has been transferred to the California district. Mr. Keown will take Mr. Merrill's place in the Northwest.

I.O.O.F. Notes.

A meeting of Victoria Encampment No. 1, I.O.O.F., will be held this evening at 7:30.

The regular monthly meeting of Canton Militant will be held on Saturday evening for degree work. The members will attend in full uniform.

Towing Business Good.

The past week has been a busy one for the tug Lorne. She towed the J. G. Lotz to sea from the Roads, and the Alaska to sea from Nanaimo, brought the Glengarry and Bankburn in from sea and then took the former to the Fraser river and the latter to the Sound.

The Case Dismissed.

Geo. White, charged with assaulting Mr. Jackson on Spratt's Ark, appeared in the provincial police court this morning to answer to the charge. The prosecutor, however, failed to appear, and the case was dismissed.

ILLEGALLY SEIZED.

Collector Milne says Captain Copp has no Right to the Olsen.

The announcement from Ottawa that Minister Tupper had ordered the return of the schooner Rosie Olsen to her Victoria owners, holding her seizure by the Russians to be illegal, fully confirms the stand taken by Collector Milne. Said he this morning:—

"I have received no official notification of the action of Mr. Tupper in the case of the Rosie Olsen, but I am satisfied that the newspaper report is correct. You see, the vessel was never condemned before the proper—or, for that matter, any—authority in Russia. She was simply seized, and illegally seized. Then her captor gave her away. Do you imagine that Admiral Hotham or I could give the schooner Mountain Chief away now? Why, it is nonsense. There is but one record here in the case of the schooner Rosie Olsen. Capt. Copp may claim compensation for bringing the schooner down here, but nothing else."

CITY POLICE COURT.

Love Alleged to be at the Bottom of a Serious Fis ic Affray.

Robert W. Shaw, postman, charged John Patching with assault. Shaw alleged that Patching, who is employed at Falconer's vinegar works, attempted to take Mr. Falconer's mail from him. Shaw remonstrated and there was a scuffle during which Shaw received two black eyes. Patching, according to the evidence of Shaw, had his head put in a vinegar barrel. The defence endeavored to make out that there was ill-feeling between Shaw and Patching. The lawyer for the defence asked Shaw if he and Patching were courting the same girl. The spectators laughed aloud and the court could not refrain from a smile. The usher shouted "order."

Mr. Walls, for the prosecution, objected to the question.

Shaw colored and left the witness box."

Mr. Falconer himself said Patching had the right to receive letters in his absence, and that he never instructed Shaw not to give Patching his letters.

Patching was fined $12, or in default one month. The court refused to bind over Patching to keep the peace, stating that Shaw was not in dread of him as appeared from the evidence.

Jim, an Indian, drunk, was fined $7. William Kelly was given two months hard labor. Kelly was charged with petty theft.

Nothing Done Yet.

Not a move has been made toward discharging the sealskins on the Coquitlam. The interested parties have not reached a settlement and it is hard to say when they will. Some nice legal parrying and thrusting is being done. A number seek to avoid responsibility incurred, and all seek to be free from being involved more deeply. Captain Webster went to Vancouver this morning and will return this evening backed by that brilliant lawyer, A. St. George Hamersly. The sealing men had better surrender immediately.

Postponed One Week.

The inquiry into the drowning of Mrs. Pope and daughter by being run into while in a rowboat by the steamer R. P. Rithet, has been postponed until next Tuesday by Capt. Gaudin, by whom it is to be held. The interested parties were not ready to proceed.

Steamers in Collision.

The steamer Coquitlam is badly cut up aft on the starboard side. The Danube struck her at the wharf, twisting up some of her iron work and tearing up the planking on the upper deck. The break will be repaired when the steamer is docked.

General Lacrosse Meeting.

The lacrosse club will hold a general meeting at Hotel Victoria to-night. A full attendance is requested. A proposition to play a game with Vancouver for medals has been put before the club by some enthusiasts, and it will be considered this evening.

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B. C. BOARD OF TRADE.

Several Resolutions of Importance to be Offered Next Meeting.

At the quarterly general meeting of the B. C. Board of Trade to be held at the Board of Trade chambers, Bank of B. C. block, on Friday afternoon next at 3, the following resolutions will be offered and discussed:

China-Japan Mail Service.—The president will ask the board to urge the Dominion Government to take advantage of the Northern Pacific Railway Steamship service to the Orient for the conveyance of mails.

Insolvent Estates.—Mr. A. B. Gray will move: Whereas the law in force in the province gives the first judgment creditors a first claim against the estate of debtors, and frequently to the entire exclusion of the claims of other creditors, and whereas it is desirable that an equable distribution of insolvent estates be made;

Therefore, be it resolved: That this board is of opinion that in case of the insolvency of the debtor the execution creditor or creditors should rank upon his estate equally with other creditors whose claims are filed within 30 days from date of such prior judgment; and further,

That in all cases where such debtor shall make an assignment within thirty days of such prior judgment, all monies levied upon an execution against the property of such debtor shall be recoverable from said judgment creditor for the general benefit of the debtor's estate, but the costs incurred in obtaining such judgment shall be first paid;

That the Boards of Trade at Nanaimo, New Westminster and Vancouver be asked to co-operate with this Board in memorializing the Provincial Government to enact at the next session of Legislature a measure to give effect to the foregoing.

Compensation to witness.—Mr. J. H. Todd will move: Whereas the present law permitting a witness to be summoned is open to abuse, be it resolved, That in all cases where it appears to the presiding judge at any trial or inquiry held in the Supreme Court or County Court, or by any judge of either of the said courts, that a witness has been summoned before the court without just cause or lawful excuse, or that the issue of service of such summons is an abuse of the process of the court, such judge may award to such witness, over and above the fees by which he is now by law entitled, such sum as he may think fit by way of compensation for the loss of time and injury such witness has sustained by having been improperly summoned; such sum to be recovered and enforced as a judgment according to the ordinary process of said court.

CAPTAIN HULTON.

The Sentence of the Court-Martial in His Case Severely Criticised.

In the last number of London Truth to hand appears the following paragraph: "I have received during the last week numerous indignant protests from naval correspondents respecting the finding of the court-martial upon Captain Hulton of the Forth and his fellow officers. I agree that the finding is a disgraceful one, and a conspicuous example of the shameless way in which the grossest injustice is perpetrated without disguise, as well by so-called 'courts' of officers as by the official administration of the navy. The scandal in this case consists in the facts—first, that Captain Hulton is what in police courts would be called 'an old offender;' and, secondly, that Captain Powell of the Naiad and Captain Poore of the Apollo who were merely obeying orders, and the former of whom actually warned Captain Hulton of the danger into which he was leading his own ship and her consorts, were treated with only a degree less severity than the arch-offender. If the interests of the country weighed anything in official circles against those of privileged private officials, Captain Hulton would never be allowed to command a ship again. As it is, we can only hope and wait for the day when Parliament will insist that the interests of the country shall be the only interest considered in such matters."

The findings of the court martial in respect of the hazarding and stranding of the three cruisers, Forth, Naiad and Apollo, belonging to the Blue Squadron during their attempt to avoid the enemy and escape into Queenstown Harbor are thus reported: "The court finds the charge proved against the said Captain Edward Grey Hulton, inasmuch as the ship was hazarded by his default; but the court does not find any negligence in the performance of his duties. The court finds the charge against the said lieutenant for navigating duties—Henry Bruce Wroughton—proved, inasmuch as the ship was hazarded by his default; but the court does not find any negligence in the performance of his duties." The court adjudged each of the prisoners to be reprimanded. The court found that the charge against Captain Powell of the Naiad was partly proved, inasmuch as he committed an error of judgment in not taking further steps to notify to his senior officer his opinion that he was standing into danger. They found the charge against Lieutenant Torlesse not proven, and he was acquitted. Captain Powell was sentenced to be admonished. The court found that the charge against Captain Poore of the Apollo was partly proved, in that he took no measures to show that he appreciated the danger of the course steered. The court also found that the charge against Lieutenant Henderson was partly proved, inasmuch as he failed to form his captain that the course steered might lead him into danger. Both prisoners were sentenced to be admonished.

The poets sing, in dainty rhymes,
Of summer days and sunny climes,
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LORENTZEN AND THE SEALERS.

The Agreement Between the Captured Sealers and the Majestic's Captain.

Between the 69 captured sealing men and Captain Lorentzen of the bark Majestic an agreement was drawn up, stating just what the "passengers" could expect and how much Captain Lorentzen was to get for his philanthropic conduct. The document is a curiosity, and as it has never been published the following true copy of the instrument may prove of interest:

Port of Petropaulosky,
Kamchatka, Russia.

This agreement is hereby made and entered into by and between N. E. Lorentzen, master of the American bark Majestic of San Francisco, of the first part, and the officers and crews of the Canadian schooners Wm. McGowan, of Shelburne, Rosie Olsen and Ariel, of Victoria, (now captured by a Russian cruiser and detained in port) parties of the second part.

1.—The said master of the bark Majestic to receive on board the said bark as passengers the parties of the second part and convey them to some Puget Sound port (American or Canadian) at the option of the master of the Majestic.

2.—The said master of the Majestic does not agree to furnish said passengers with any other accommodation than may be found in the hold of said bark, nor with any provisions, water or other stores except such as have been or shall yet be put on board by said passengers or for their benefit and behalf by the commander of the cruiser Zabiaka, their captor.

3.—If through any stress of weather, or other accident incidental to the dangers of navigation, the master of said bark should deem it necessary to put in and land said passengers at any other port the said bark or her owner shall not be held responsible to said passengers for anything.

4.—As the said officers and crew of the said schooners Willie McGowan and Rosie Olsen are left in this port destitute and in distress, and as there is no representative of their Government here, or within their reach of communication, they do hereby most earnestly request and petition the Government of the Dominion of Canada to pay the owner of said bark Majestic or his order, such sum as may be right for their passage home.

5.—The said passengers hereby bind themselves to the said master of the bark Majestic or whoever shall go as master to submit respectively to be governed by such orders and commands as he may give for the peace, safety and good order of all on board, and at all times to give their aid in preserving order, or doing anything he, the master, may deem necessary for the common good. Also to abide by his directions for the serving out of provisions and water, and never to take any provisions or water, except as served out to them. Also to regard all provisions put on board for the benefit of captured crews as belonging alike to each and all.

6.—In case of any crimes or disturbances occurring on board by any of said passengers the matter shall be decided by a board of three, composed of master of said bark, and two of the officers of the captured schooners to be appointed by him, and any decision given by said board we do hereby promise and agree to abide by without any appeal or recourse to any court, and without holding said bark or her owner responsible therefor hereafter.

7.—The water casks, stoves, cooking vessels, boats and oars now on board said bark Majestic, and furnished by said cruiser Zabiaka out of the captured sealers are the property of said bark Majestic as also any stores that may remain over when the trip ended.

Appended are signatures of the captured sealers 69 in all. This document bears the date of August 8th, 1893. It also has the signature N. E. Lorentzen, master of the Majestic. And it is also certified as correct by Wellesley Moore, Her Britannic Majesty's acting consul at San Francisco.

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PLAINTIFFS,

AND

Donald Henry McNeill, Alfred McNeill (the younger), George Frederick McNeill, William McNeill, Edward Hamilton McNeill, Helen Fanny McNeill (an infant), Alfred McNeill (the elder), and Mary McNeill,

DEFENDANTS.

Pursuant to the order made herein by the Honorable H. P. Pellew Crease, one of the Judges of the Court, on the 29th day of June, 1892, and the further order made on the 24th day of August, 1892, Mr. Joshua Davies, the person appointed by the Court, will sell by Public Auction, at the Salesroom of

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MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the shareholders of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company at Victoria on Wednesday, the 5th day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Victoria, 30th August, 1892.
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A CANTERBURY PILGRIMAGE.

Interesting Description of the Vast and Glittering Cathedral of Old Canterbury Town.

The Scene of the Canterbury Tales of Chaucer — Impressions of Sadness and Unrest.

CANTERBURY, England, Sept. 12.—Despite the huge proportions, the beautiful interior and the still existing evidences of splendor in treasure and ceremonial in the olden days of the cathedral at Canterbury—first established seat of episcopal power in England, the present see of an archbishop, primate of all England and metropolitan—both the cathedral and city seem to impress the visitor with an indefinable sense of sadness and unrest nowhere else experienced in the old cathedral towns of England.

This is not easily analyzed and made clear to others. It is true, however, that at Worcester, at Exeter, at Lincoln, at Wells, at Winchester, at Gloucester, at Salisbury, at Lichfield, at Chester, at Ely and even to some extent at the huge and shadowy old Minster of York, there is something so warm and sunny in the immediate surroundings, so deep an affection of townsfolk for the venerable edifices is apparent—something so hushed, reposeful and soothing is felt in the calm of close, cloister and church itself—that one imperceptibly yields to the gentle spell and is touched by the sweet and tender influence.

At Canterbury the entire interpretation of locality, history, association and structural impressiveness is different. The sea and another land and tongue are too close to give the cathedral and town that complete and harmonious setting and environment peculiar to nearly all other cathedrals of England. Somehow there are too many splatches of blood upon Canterbury's consecrated stones to prevent a chill and shudder as you come close to the place of historic and dreadful tragedies, and one of the foulest murders of the Christian era gave this cathedral its vastest treasure and greatest renown. The shrines of Canterbury are of kings and prelates only. The heart is not greatly stirred by these.

When Cæsar with his Roman legions crossed the straits of Dover and pushed on to London to subjugate the entire island save Scotland, Wales and portions of Cornwall, he found a British hamlet at a ford of the river Stour, fifteen miles from Dover and fifty-six from London. The Romans utilized this strategic place as a base of supplies and a military station, and gave it the name of Durovernum. After the Romans retired from England and the Saxon domination began, the present county of Kent became a kingdom. Its chief city and capital, the former Roman Durovernum, was then called Cantwarabyrig, and the name Canterbury of today is simply a corruption of the city's old Saxon title.

The manner in which Canterbury became the seat of the Primate of the Anglican Church was in this wise: Pope Gregory the Great, in 596, conceived the idea of Christianizing the inhabitants of England, independent of the splendid missionary labors of the followers of St. Patrick in Ireland and upon the western coasts of Scotland, Wales and Cornwall. Augustine, called the apostle of the English, originally a monk in the convent of St. Andrew at Rome, where he was educated under Pope Gregory, was selected to undertake the conversion of the British.

Conditions were favorable to this mission. Ethelbert was then the fourth King of Kent. His wife, Bertha, daughter of Cherebert, King of France, was a Christian princess, and had stipulated for the free exercise of her religion in her marriage contract. Her influence upon Ethelbert was such as to assure Augustine and his followers of a hospitable reception. Soon after Augustine's arrival King Ethelbert not only embraced Christianity, and caused, by royal command, the conversion and baptism of his nobles and people, but also granted the city of Canterbury and its dependencies to Augustine, who had been invested with archiepiscopal dignity by Pope Gregory. The pope soon after sent additional missionaries, and empowered Augustine to constitute a bishop of York, but this in such a manner that Augustine of Canterbury and each of his successors should remain metropolitan of all England.

The ordinary modern pilgrimage to Canterbury is made over the London and South Eastern Railway, and a pleasant one it is. But a far pleasanter one is to saunter over the ancient way taken by the pilgrims in those days when the shrine of St. Thomas à Becket was to the pious of England what Mecca is to the followers of Mahomet. This leads from London out through Southwark, in Surrey, over into Kent and, for about fifty miles, past the lavender fields, the strawberry farms and the great hop vineyards of the most fruitful portion of England.

Though Southwark is now merely a portion of southern London, like ancient Chelsea on the west, it has many characteristic old time bits worth studying; and any one familiar with Chaucer will find pleasure in idling about the place where stood the old Tabard Inn. The original Tabard Inn was burned in 1676; but another Tabard Inn, fashioned after the hostelry of Chaucer's time, and now itself old and picturesque enough to please any idler among the mosses of antiquity, at once took its place, and is now a Mecca to many literary pilgrims.

In the first Tabard Inn—as at Sudbury Inn in Longfellow's "Tales of a Wayside Inn," and no doubt Longfellow took Chaucer's quaint hostelry and groupings for his model—were supposed to have been gathered those who related the "Canterbury Tales." Chaucer's fancy grouped a quaint company here at the beginning of the springtime pilgrimages, when—

* * * from every schires ende
Of Engelond, to Canterbury they wende,
The holy blisful martir for to seeke,
That hem hath holpen whan that they were seeke.

We all remember his knight, prioress, yeoman, friar, monk, merchant, sergeant of law, clerk, haberdasher, carpenter, weaver, dyer, shipmaster, miller, reeve, doctor, cook, goodwife of Bath and whatnot of all ilk; and they form a goodly though wraithful company in which to saunter about ancient Southwark, or mingle among all the villageful, countryside way over hill and through valley to historic Canterbury town.

This olden pilgrims' way undoubtedly brings you with the most pleasant impressions to your first view of Canterbury, its cathedral and the rich pastoral country roundabout. At the outskirts of Harbledown, the last halting place, perhaps two miles southwest of the cathedral, you are high above the city and the broad, blossoming valley of the Stour. The roadway here runs to the northeast for a mile past the ruins of St. Nicholas' Hospital, where the pilgrims tarried for rest and were met by the olden monks who first lightened their purses and sprinkled them with holy water. Then outlying St. Dunstan's Church is reached.

No city in England abounds in so large a number of almost unaltered churches of the greatest antiquity as Canterbury. St. Dunstan's vestry room was a chapel 660 years ago. In the family vault of the Ropers in this church still lies the head of Sir Thomas More. From this venerable church, famous for its patron saint, its great antiquity and its chimes, the way, now a Canterbury street, intersects the ancient city from west to east, crossing the two arms of the river Stour, which make an island of the western precincts of the town, and passes straight on to Dover—the veritable street and way built by the legions of Julius Cæsar.

Before you descend the hill at the east of Harbledown you cannot but earnestly study the interesting low. The valley of the Stour stre... to the north and south, an almost li... lawn, broken only by blossoming hedge, the glassy threadings of the river, half hid hamlets and the city's central mass of gray and red and green. Mossy St. Dunstan's is here to your left. At the northeastern edge of the city that huge mass of walls and towers is what is left of the once world famous St. Augustine's monastery. Nearer to where you stand is Dane John hill and obelisk. Between this and St. Dunstan's that broken line of gray marks the ancient city walls. Some of this masonry is more than 1,100 years old. Five or six of the turrets of these ancient walls still show like castle towers among the bright red city roofs.

Spires and round and square towers here and there push above the foliage of the huge old city trees. To the north, along the winding Stour, are the barracks of the soldiery; for Canterbury is still a military station, as in ancient Roman and Saxon times. Along the horizon edge toward Ramsgate and Dover, huge windmills, like those of Holland, flap their winglike arms with sudden energy, or, high and still upon some rounded down, stand like ghostly silhouettes between green of earth and blue of sky.

But all sights and seemings bring back the eye to the one mass of white, to which the city towers, roofs and foliage and all the valleys, fields and hamlets are as a wide Etruscan base. It soars from buttresses to towers, from towers to spires and from spires to pinnacles fleecy and glittering in its wondrous dimensions and height, majestic, spotless, faultless, and as fancifully light and delicate as a vast and shapely crag of coral from which the sea has disappeared and left it among the dallying clouds.

From St. Dunstan's Church you pass through historic old Westgate, which has stood there a thousand years. It is now a jail. Underneath it flows the Stour. To the right and left strange old structures overhang the stream and recall some of quieter sea lanes of Venice. From Westgate to the eastern arm of the Stour the thoroughfare is called St. Peter's. Then, in the densest part of the city, the way is given the inevitable name of High Street, which you will find in nearly every cathedral town of England. Here are scores of the ancient houses like those of Chester, Gloucester and Exeter. Over them all seems to brood a mournful air of departed glory.

As you arrive opposite curious and venerable St. Mary Bredman's Church a glimpse is caught, to the left and north, of the quaintest lane in all Canterbury. This is Mercery Lane. In the olden days each trade or class of merchants was given a separate thoroughfare. The mercers or haberdashers occupied Mercery Lane. It is now filled with all manner of little shops, where merchants instead of monks set upon the modern pilgrim. Overhead the houses protrude, story after story, until the gables are within whispering proximity. It is a pleasant place in which to loiter, this Mercery Lane, and when you have come to its northern end you suddenly face the great cathedral, and are given an oblique view of its southern walls, transepts and the southernmost angle of its far eastern apse, while the top of the great central tower looms vast and white and high above and beyond the companion towers at either side of the vast west window.

While no one can deny the grandeur of the proportions and richness in details of this splendid cathedral of Canterbury, the feeling is irresistible that there is too little room without and too much within. I mean by this that the effect of so vast a structure being closely crowded by masses of inferior buildings, precisely as with the cathedral at Cologne, is dwarfing and insignificant. The interior lacks warmth, and there is no doubt that unnecessary vastness in a sacred edifice lessens the desirable effect of repose.

For the student in ecclesiastical history and architecture there is nowhere else in England a so grand and comprehensive study. The cathedral certainly embraces every variety of the styles of English ecclesiastic architecture from the rudest Saxon to the most finished gothic art. It contains a greater number, more famous and richer tombs, shrines and effigies than any other cathedral church of Britain. Since its erection, out of Canterbury's ninety archbishops eighteen have been canonized, nine dignitaries have been appointed cardinals and twelve have been made lord chancellors. In its history, construction and all details of cathedral enrichment it lacks no element of grandeur and deep impressiveness.

But to me there is an emptiness, a glaring whiteness, a loneliness, a desolation, indeed a desertation, if that word may be used, about this vast edifice which reminds one of a tremendous mausoleum rather than a beautiful, venerable and tenderly kept house of God. In no part or portion of the entire cathedral is this saddening impression modified. Even most of the inscriptions on tombs and brasses are of the "Stay, traveler, and reverence!" variety. You are constantly confronted with primacy, even in the eternal set speeches of the dead. The cloisters, though very great in extent, are neither so beautiful nor reposeful as those at Gloucester. The chapter house is lofty, lonely and drear. The great undercroft or crypt, where the Huguenot weavers worshiped, suggests the charnel house. The choir screen is of stone and the archbishop's throne is of stone, instead of the beautiful carved oak which so distinguishes many English cathedrals, and there is no great glowing east window above the high altar, with its flood of warmth and light, as noble emblem of the source of light and life eternal.

All this may be deemed captious by some, but to the lay pilgrim, untrammeled by religious politics or political religion, it is the indefinable expression of all these various objects and emblems which wins or repels, while the pompous heralding by the vergers of every dreadful detail of the murder, canonization and pilgrimages to the shrine of St. Thomas à Becket, as though the place were London Tower or a waxwork "Chamber of Horrors," intensifies the show place character of Canterbury, until one turns from the glittering shell of a once noble sanctuary with a sad and heavy heart.

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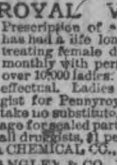
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To Whom it May Concern.

TAKE NOTICE that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a road sixty feet wide: Commencing at an iron gate on the Foul Bay Road on the westerly boundary of Section Forty-seven, Victoria District; thence following the present road to Shoal Bay; thence following the shore line by Point Gonzales to the Oak Bay Hotel.
J. C. PREVOST.
Victoria, B. C., 16th September, 1892.—1m

NOTICE

Is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of "An Act respecting certain works constructed in or upon Navigable Waters," Cap. 92 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, that I, the undersigned, shall 30 days after date apply to the Governor-General of Canada in Council for his approval of a certain wharf, proposed to be constructed by me in Victoria Harbor, fronting Lot 16, Block I, Harbor Estate, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that I have deposited plans thereof and a description of the proposed site with the Minister of Public Works, at Ottawa, and a duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar General of Titles at Victoria, aforesaid. Dated the 7th day of September, 1892. ROWLAND WM. COLVIN by his Solicitor, LINDLEY CREASE. se7-1m

BOARD OF HEALTH.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Corporation of the City of Victoria will not be responsible for any liability in connection with "The Board of Health," which has not been authorized by the Chairman of the Finance Committee, Alderman John B. Lovell.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
July 30, 1892. Clerk Municipal Council. aug1

Estate of Ira Wilson, Deceased.

All claims against the above estate are to be handed in to the executors, Messrs. George Deans and William Whittaker, who will collect all outstanding debts owing to the estate, which must be settled forthwith. All accounts must be certified and handed in to the undersigned under cover to the above named executors. JOHN J. AUSTIN,
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An Old Miner Prophesies That in a Few Years There Will be a Great Rush There.

Joseph A. Letoy is no stranger to California miners. "Joe" is a genial, kind-hearted man, who at all time likes to do a good act. The friends of Joe will welcome as good news the fact that he has "struck it rich" in his prospecting this summer. Mr. Letoy has just arrived in Victoria from the North. He has been four months in the Peace river and Omineca districts.

"Take a seat."

Mr. Letoy had drawn two seats to a table. But that was not the "very" beginning, for Mr. Letoy winked at the TIMES man and the two held an analysis upon the respective merits of the contents of two glasses; said contents having been "surrounded" just previously. Mr. Letoy then related the following narrative in his well-known graphic style:—

"What puzzled me the most in all my travels of exploration in the Peace River and Omineca districts was that such enormous wealth, almost at the doors of Victoria, should have been unprospected. The prospectors in these districts are a mere handful, while the larger portion still remains untrodden by the feet of the "pale face." I am confident that next year will see a great boom in those districts, and I will tell you my reasons. The prospectors this year have made exceptionally good "finds" and the news of their success has travelled far and wide through the medium of the press. The monied men are now casting their eyes in this direction, where a few years ago they thought it sheer nonsense to invest; they now see a big profit behind their investment. Gold is found in paying quantities extending from the Cariboo through to the Peace river district. This country is literally flooded with it, and every day is revealing more buried wealth. There are two routes by which this district can be reached. One up north and through the Skeena river, which is the shortest, and with the building of proper trails and roads would be the easiest. The other is by the Fraser river, which river can be ascended to near the Glacier house from which there is a good trail into the district. Eleven young men entered by this rather circuitous route this spring. They had pack horses with them, implements and provisions. Seven of their number will remain there during the winter. Four will return south for stores and to bring up more miners. I heard that these young men had done well and I do not doubt that if they have a little pluck each of them will make a small fortune.

"The pack road through from Cariboo is 400 miles long. And while talking of these young men I would like to men had correct a prevalent false impression of the intensity of the cold in these regions. That the winter is cold I am not going to deny. The thermometer often falls 30 degrees below, but the cold is not felt. Miners work when the glass stands that low without protection to their faces. The cold is not felt at all severely, and you never hear of such a thing as being frost-bitten. I know that these statements do not agree with the public impression. Public impressions and facts are often as near akin as right is to wrong."

"Near Tom's creek or claim silver nuggets have been found in large numbers as large as a man's thumb, and gold nuggets not much smaller and in scarcely less quantity. In this region a fine quality of copper has been located, and it alone would pay the working. On Lorne creek the gold is coarse and heavy and exists in large quantities.

The bete noir, if I may call it, of the miner, is the Kitsalass Canyon, on the Skeena, midway between Essington and Hazleton. It is about a mile long. Great difficulty has been experienced in getting boats through. There was a proposition to have one steamer ply on the river south and another steamer north of the canyon and to transfer. The captain of the stern wheeler Caledonia safely took his craft through the canyon at a season of the year when the attempt was looked upon with much misgiving. The Auxtaw River, a tributary of the Skeena, affords some of the finest of scenery. Between the river and the sound some of the finest of granite and marble for masons exist. It is unspotted and is pure statuary marble. Above the marble formation, but in no way interfering with it, are choice beds of copper. These statements that I have made do not tally with what Engineer Poudrier has said of this country. His reports are almost a direct contradiction of what information I have given you.

"The Lac de Francais district promises to become an important agricultural settlement. The soil is exceedingly rich and the climate is mild. The winters are so mild that settlers say that they do not intend to build shelter for their stock. The soil is fruitful and cereal growth rapid. The salmon fisheries of the Skeena are growing year by year. The industry is becoming a very important one. The run of salmon this year was very large. Although the output of canned salmon was very large the canneries could have "put up" as much again and yet the river would have swarmed with salmon.

A very short time from now will see a great rush to this northern country and then look out for good times. A second California, sir, and I'm Californian."

LABOR ARBITRATION.

Features of the Scheme Adopted in New South Wales.

The Australian colony of New South Wales has recently been considering the labor problem in a way which may be of some advantage to the rest of the world. Not many months ago the colony was the scene of one of the most extensive strikes ever known. Beginning with the Sheep Shearers' Union, the strike became a "sympathetic" one, and involved nearly all branches of trades in which trades unions were active. The strikers were completely defeated, but so enormous was the damage to the interests of the colony that a government commission was appointed to consider what measures might be taken to avert the recurrence of such disastrous troubles.

The report of the commission is described as a most important contribution to the literature of the industrial problem. The commission was composed, in equal proportion, of representatives of the employing and working classes, with the Hon. Andrew Garran as chairman. The recommendations of the commission were drawn up by the chairman, and so satisfactory were they that they were unanimously approved, without the change of a single word.

Stated in brief it was recommended that a board of conciliation and arbitration be established. For the purposes of conciliation there was to be added to a nucleus of permanent membership a number of persons selected with special reference to the subject under consideration. Should efforts at reconciliation fail then the board would be ready to assume its function of arbitration, for which purpose it would consist of its permanent members only. Arbitration was not to be forced upon disputing parties should there be no call for it; but if requested by either party, although not desired by the other, it was to become compulsory. Acceptance of the decision, however, has not to be made compulsory, for it was recognized that there was no practicable way to enforce such acceptance. An employer could not be required to carry on his business under conditions which he might hold would make it unprofitable; neither could a workingman be forced to keep at work on terms which did suit him. For the manufacturer could close his establishment if he chose and the employee could give up his place. The power of public sentiment would, however, in most cases bring about conformity with the decisions of the board, which, given under such circumstances, would be regarded as fair and equitable. The recommendations of the commission have been embodied in the laws of the colony.

The new and notable features of this Australian system are, first, the distinction drawn between the functions of conciliation and arbitration, and a corresponding difference in the makeup of the board for the respective purposes; and second, the requirement for compulsory arbitration when requested by either of the disputing parties. Had this latter principle been incorporated in our own laws on the subject in this country the head of a great corporation, created by a neighboring State to perform an essentially public service, would not have made the haughty reply to that State's own officials when offering their services to effect a peaceable settlement: "There is nothing to arbitrate!" thereby placing that board in the humiliating attitude of vainly looking about for a job. When arbitration is requested by one of the parties to a dispute that involves, to a greater or less extent, the prosperity of an entire community, it is for the properly and legally constituted authorities to find out whether or no there is "anything to arbitrate," and in Australia this fact has very wisely been recognized by both employers and employed. With the provision making the acceptance of the decision optional on either side, compulsory arbitration merely compels both parties to state their case to a presumably equitable tribunal, and gives the public the benefit of that tribunal's judgment on the matter.—Boston Herald.

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DREW THE LINE AT HORNS.

The Point at Which a Farmer Doubted a Fish Story.

Chicago Inter Ocean.]

"The biggest fish experience I ever had," said a man recently, while he dangled his legs over the water at the end of the pier, "happened to me last summer in the Rocky Mountains. One day a friend and myself came upon a little summer hotel near a crystal stream. There was an old man smoking a pipe on a bench at the front door. As we approached my friend said: 'Now, there is one Colorado fisherman who will believe in any fish story you've a mind to tell him. Just try it.' I walked up to the man and said:

"'Splendid fishing over in that stream, eh, stranger?'

"'Yes, sir, splendid fishing.'

"'I know it. I was up here last summer and I got a whooping trout on on my line—he broke it snap in two.'

"'Yes, the trout do that up here.' the man answered with a peculiar drawl.'

"'Then I got a rope and fished with that, but the trout broke that too.'

"'Yes, the trout often break ropes up here.'

"Well then,' I went on, 'I was decided to land him, and I got him on a log chain and pulled him out.'

"'Yes, log chains is the only thing what will pull the trouts out up here.'

"'Well, you see, after we got this big trout out we could not get him up to the house.'

"'Yes, it's powerful hard to pull out trouts up here.'

"So I got a yoke of oxen, put the trout on a sledge and after a hard pull succeeded in getting him up to the house.'

"'Yes,' said the old man, without a smile, 'a yoke of oxen and a sledge is the only thing that can carry our trouts up here.'

"I was getting desperate. The old codger shouldn't agree with me longer if I could prevent him.

"'Well, sir,' I continued, 'we took that trout and turned him out to pasture with the cattle.'

"'Yes,' said the old rascal, 'that's what we allus do with our trouts up here.'

"'Yes, sir,' I urged, 'and after he had been there among the cattle for about taree months he grew horns.'

"'What!' and the old man straightened up, 'a fish grow horns?'

"'Yes, sir,' I contended.

"'Stranger,' he said, rising to his feet and advancing toward me, 'that's a —— lie.'"

UNHEALTHY OCCUPATIONS.

Human Vitality Gives Way Rapidly in Some of the Trades.

New York World.]

My Lady, delicately tracing embroidery upon fine linen, knows nothing, cares less, about the men who fashioned the needle she holds in her tapering fingers. But those men shortened their lives in the making of it, perhaps by the infinitesimal fraction of a second for that particular needle, but when they ground it and polished it they inhaled into their lungs the invisible particles of steel that flew from the whirring stone. Consumption is a very common disease among needle makers. No need to mold lead into bullets to make it deadly. Workers of lead, house painters, artists, gilders, calico printers, typefounders and typesetters, shotfounders, potters and braziers will tell you that. So will the workmen who handle vulcanized rubber, those who wrap goods in tin foil, even the fishmongers who handle lead counters covered with brine. Lead poisoning next to alcoholic poisoning is the commonest toxic condition. And "alcoholic poisoning" is vulgarly known as a "jag," so it is easy to judge the frequency of chronic lead poisoning. "Lead colic" is almost as prevalent as that other colic that rouses the happy father and sets him to pacing the floor with squalling son and heir.

When a man suffers with chronic lead poisoning his digestion is disturbed. He has no appetite, and his skin usually takes on a peculiar yellow hue. His gums show a characteristic blue line, which is sulphide of lead deposited there. He has pains in the joints and often times paralysis. His paralysis usually affects the extensor muscles of the hands and fingers, and so produces what is popularly called "drop wrist." Once in a while lead poisoning affects the brain. A case is recorded where a painter suffering from it thought he saw "windbags blown up to look like men" and other apparitions which made remarks to him and caused him a great deal of anxiety. With all due deference to the medical faculty, it would seem doubtful whether talk about "wind-bags blown up to look like men" should be taken as an evidence of insanity. There surely are such things in real life.

Workmen employed in extracting gold from its ores, those who silver mirrows, makers of barometers and thermometers, have, of course, to live in an atmosphere more or less impregnated with mercury. So do those who etch, who color the finer sorts of wool and who take part in the manufacture of felt hats. In these latter occupations the mercury is in the form of its nitrate. Mercury is the delight of every dentist whose heart is in his work. Too much of it salivates a man and makes his teeth drop out, so that a mirror silverer is extremely apt to go mumbling, toothless, through life like a "lean and slippered Pantaloon."

Photographers, makers of hair dyes and of marking ink handle a great deal of silver. That lot might seem to be very enviable, but in those cases the silver is the nitrate or one of its compounds. It is extremely liable to change the color of the man who handles it, particularly as much of him as is exposed to the light. First his nails and fingers, and then his hands and face turn from white to grayish blue and then to black. That must be extremely annoying. Such a man, like the Prince of Morocco in "The Merchant of Venice," would be "misliked for his complexion." Besides, he would suffer from all sorts of constitutional effects very much like those that follow lead poisoning.

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BIRTH.

MUSGRAVE—At 12 Ashley Gardens, London, England, on the 4th inst., the wife of Sir Richard Musgrave, Bart., of Tourin Cappoquin, Ireland, of a daughter.

DIED.

ELFORD.—At his parents' residence, No. 130 Cadboro Bay Road, on the 4th instant, William Richard Elford, a native of London, England, aged 18 years.

The funeral will take place to-morrow, Wednesday, at 2 30 p.m.

MARWICK—At the residence of Mr. Joseph Clark, No. 172 View street, on the 2nd inst., Mary Holland Marwick, a native of Orkney Isles, aged 64 years.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Wednesday) from the residence as above at 3 o'clock p.m. Friends will please accept this intimation.

NOTICE.

A meeting of the Board of Management of the B. C. Agricultural Association will be held in the Secretary's Office on Thursday next, the 6th inst., at 4 p.m.

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